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ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY ANNUAL BALL

Traditional Ceremonial At Peninsula Hotel

GOVERNOR ATTENDS

Traditional pomp and ceremony characterised the annual ball of the Society of St. George, held in the Peninsula Hotel last night, the Roof Garden and Rose Room being decorated beautifully for the occasion.

His Excellency the Governor, attended by Capt. Batty-Smith, A.D.C., and Mr. G. Trevelyan, Private Secretary, was amongst those who attended. The Ball opened at 9.30 p.m. with an official procession made up of the President, Mr. G. S. Archbutt and His Excellency the Governor, Mr. Stanley Dodwell, vice-president and the following past presidents:—Lt. Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin and Messrs. H. R. B. Hancock, T. E. Peace, E. Cock and Sir Vandeleur Grayburn.

The procession was accompanied by an escort of eight Beefeaters and they were met in the Ballroom by Mrs. Archbutt, Mrs. T. E. Pearce, Mrs. E. Cock, Mrs. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, Mrs. Stanley Dodwell, Mrs. A. W. Bartholomew, Mrs. J. D. Danby and Mrs. W. A. Cornhill.

President's Speech

Mr. G. S. Archbutt, the president, said:—

Your Excellencies, Ladies and Gentlemen,—On behalf of St. George's Society I bid all our guests a hearty welcome. We are sorry,

Sir, not to have Lady Northcote with us tonight, and regret the circumstances which prevent her being here. We wish her a safe journey and a speedy return. To you, Sir, and to Lady Northcote I bid a hearty welcome to the Colony. We hope that you will find health and happiness in this beautiful island. We are particularly gratified that you have honoured us by becoming our Patron, thus signifying your interest in our activities. The Society is fortunate in having as its Patron a member of an old Devonshire family distinguished for its services to the Country. (Continued on Page 7)

EXHIBITION OF CHINESE PRODUCTS

Many Manufacturers
Represented

DR. KOTEWALL'S SPEECH

A large variety of Chinese goods, representing the products of over 80 manufacturers, are on view at the Exhibition of Chinese Products now being held at St. Paul's College.

The Exhibition was officially opened by the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall yesterday morning in the presence of a large gathering of visitors. Dr. Kotewall was met on arrival by Mr. Ip Lan-chuen, chairman, Dr. Law Yaw-chit of the Y.M.C.A. and Mr. Hon Siu-hin, secretary. After Dr. Kotewall had cut the red ribbon which stretched across the entrance to the grounds, the gathering assembled in the compound of the College, where Mr. Ip Lan-chuen extended a hearty welcome to Dr. Kotewall and also thanked him on behalf of the organising committee for his kindness in performing the opening ceremony.

Addressing the gathering in Chinese, Dr. Kotewall said that it was very encouraging to know that over 40 per cent. of the exhibits were manufactured in Hong Kong. It was proof, he said, that Hong Kong was not only a distributing, and

THE DOLLAR

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London Silver Market

(Our Own Correspondent)

London silver prices today were up 1/8 as follows:—
Feb. 3 Feb. 4
Spot 20-1/8 20-1/4
Forward 19-13/16 19-15/16

JAPANESE DETAINED IN SINGAPORE

Documents Seized By Police In Raid

Singapore, Feb. 4. European officers of the Police Special Branch today raided a house in the Japanese quarter in Singapore.

The police seized documents and detained two Japanese for interrogation. The reason for the raid is not known though it is officially stated it was not in connection with the manoeuvres.—(Reuter).

shipping centre of first-class importance but was also suitable for the manufacturing industry.

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WILL TAKE OVER COMMAND TODAY

Vice-Admiral Sir
Percy Noble



Vice-Admiral Sir Percy Noble, K. C. B., who arrived in the Colony on Thursday, will take over Command of the China Station from Vice-Admiral L. G. E. Crabbe, C.B., this morning, when Sir Percy will hoist his flag in H.M.S. Cumberland.

Vice-Admiral Sir Percy Noble is aged 58 and during the war commanded the cruisers "Achilles" and "Courageous," and in June 1918 the "Calliope," Director of Operations Division, 1923-30, and of Naval Equipment, 1931-32.

Since 1935, Sir Percy Noble has been Fourth Sea Lord and Chief of Supplies and Transport. From 1932 to 1934, he was Rear-Admiral commanding the Second Cruiser Squadron. In 1929, Admiral Noble was Naval A.D.C. to the King.

MR. HSU SHIH-YING LEAVES FOR HANKOW

Mr. Hsu Shih-ying, Chinese Ambassador to Japan, who arrived here from Japan aboard the Empress of Asia on January 27, left for Hankow yesterday morning by a Eurasia plane. He was accompanied by Mr. Shao Yu-lin, Chinese Consul-General at Yokohama, Mr. Sun Li-fu, Chinese Consul at Kobe, and Mr. Hu Mai, Secretary to the Chinese Embassy at Tokyo.

A group of Chinese Government officials, including representatives of General Wu Te-chen and Dr. H. H. Kung, saw Ambassador Hsu off at the aerodrome says Central News.

MACAO RACE MEETING

Final Selections

By "Last Quarter"

The following are the final selections for the Macao Race meeting, to be held tomorrow:—

RACE 1

Hohenfels
Conner Bleu
Fairy Auk

RACE 2

Merry Maker
Fairy Ousel
Hopefulleg

RACE 3

Mac's Adventure
Gold Sovereign
Copper Idol

RACE 4

Shanghai 4
Shih Ym Grand
Meadow Eve

RACE 5

Gold Coin
Voltaire
National Spirit

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TWO NEW PLANES AT KAI TAK

A party of mechanics under the direction of Mr. C. B. Burmood have completed the work of assembling two Beechcraft hospital planes at Kai Tak. The planes, which cost about \$18,000 (U.S.) each, have been ordered by the Chinese Red Cross. Flying tests are now being conducted and the machines will be delivered within the next few days.

Painted white, with a red cross on either side and on top and underneath, the planes are capable of seating four persons, a pilot, co-pilot and two doctors. There is also space for a stretcher. Full medical equipment will be carried.

Equipped with high-powered engines, the planes have a top speed of 240 miles an hour, while the normal speed is about 210 miles. They are fitted with wireless to enable them to contact Red Cross stations on the ground.

The Chinese Red Cross is already provided with four of these machines, which have proven to be of invaluable service during the past few months.

CANTON FEARS ALLAYED

CIVIL SERVANT RETIRING

Mr. C. A. Grimes

Mr. C. A. Grimes, chief draftsman of the Public Works Department, accompanied by Mrs. Grimes, leaves for Home on retirement by the a.s. Chitral today after 28 years' residence in the Colony.



Mr. C. A. Grimes (Photo, Ming Yuen).

Mr. Grimes arrived in Hong Kong in November 1911, as a Draftsman in the Corps of Royal Engineers and left the Service as Chief Draftsman, China Command in May, 1918, to take up an appointment in the Public Works Department as Overseer. In 1921 he was made Overseer, 1st Class, and five years later was Acting Chief Draftsman, this appointment being substantiated in 1930.

Mr. Grimes served several years in the Hong Kong Volunteers and H.K. Defence Corps and was later in charge of the Sharpshooters Company, Police Reserve. He will be remembered as an exceptional marksman, both with rifle and revolver.

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VISIT DENIED

Paris, Feb. 4. The Ministry of Marine denies that the French cruisers Georges Leygues, Montcalm and Gloire are to visit Singapore.—(Reuter).

"NO INTERNAL TROUBLE" SAYS GEN. WU TE-CHEN

JAPANESE INTENSIFY AIR ATTACKS IN SOUTH CHINA

Events have moved rapidly in Canton in the past two days but reports to hand early this morning revealed that anxiety among the inhabitants, caused by unfounded rumours of internal disturbances, had been allayed.

Following the notification by the Chinese military authorities on Thursday night for all foreign shipping to leave the Pearl River, martial law was declared in the city. This was followed yesterday morning by the most intensive aerial bombing activities by Japanese planes since the September bombings.

When foreign ships left Canton yesterday morning, however, they found, on reaching the barrier, that they were not allowed to pass and were obliged to return to Canton.

Gen. Wu Te-chen, Governor of Kwangtung, informed Reuter's correspondent last night that there was no truth whatever in reports of internal dissension in Canton.

He stated precautionary measures had been taken because of information received that Japanese bombing would be intensified.

FURTHER BIG RAIDS EXPECTED

Canton, Feb. 4.

Details of the Japanese activities in other parts of Kwangtung are still scant, but the general belief is that South China must expect similar visitations frequently. Several bombs were dropped on either side of the river between here and the second bar, according to a lady passenger aboard the Macao steamer which was compelled to turn back at the barrier by the military aboard a Chinese launch. She witnessed the Japanese planes power dive and bomb the countryside in the vicinity of Whampoa. The detonations were audible for miles around. A large piece of shrapnel passed through the roof of a Briton's house at Pakhoktung, a few miles to the south of Canton where lady missionaries reside. It is understood that several spies have been shot during the past few days. Another was arrested in front of the Shamen bridge this morning.

Yesterday evening a stray bullet at Tungshan entered the house of a German resident who was uninjured.

Yesterday's anxiety which resulted in martial law being proclaimed, is now allayed. It is pointed out that any excitement in Canton necessitates military vigilance.—(Reuter).

BOMBS KILL 50

Canton, Feb. 4.

The Japanese today also bombed the railways while six bombs were dropped near a market place in Fatsan, killing 50 persons and wounding a large number.—(Reuter).

RAILWAYS BOMBED

Shanghai, Feb. 4.

The Japanese navy spokesman today announced that Japanese planes subjected the highways and railways leading to Canton to heavy bombing and also bombed the military headquarters at Amoy.—(Reuter).

AMOY ATTACKED

Manila, Feb. 4.

Nine are dead and more than ten injured at Amoy as the result of thirty bombs dropped yesterday by three Japanese planes, according to very reliable reports reaching Manila.

The planes raided the port seven times starting early in the morning and lasting until 3 p.m., destroying 50 houses. Japanese warships bombarded Amoy at nine a.m. today. No details are available.—(Reuter).

JAPANESE ATTACKS REPULSED

Canton, Feb. 4.

Five Japanese warships made two attacks on the Boca Tigris Forts, at the mouth of the Pearl River, this morning but were successfully repulsed by the Chinese garrison.

The first attack was made at 6.15 a.m. when three Japanese warships steamed up near the fortifications and opened a barrage on the Chinese positions, hurling no fewer than 30 shells ashore. All the shells fell in open fields.

The Chinese forts returned the fire, forcing the Japanese vessels to withdraw.

At 10.05 a.m. two other Japanese warships made a second attack on the forts. After firing about 10 shells, they steamed away.

It is reported that these two warships later shelled Po On district but details are not available.—(Central News).

RUMOURS UNFOUNDED

Hankow, Feb. 4.

Rumours of trouble in Canton are absolutely unfounded, according to official quarters here. A high official here this afternoon telephoned Governor Wu Te-chen who reported that the nervousness of Canton was due to the Japanese threat to "bomb the entire city of Canton today" hence the precautionary measures of the Chinese authorities.—(Reuter).

TRAIN TRAVELLERS FROM CANTON INTERVIEWED — SEE PAGE 9.

15 CASES OF SMALL-POX

Fifteen cases of small-pox, 11 from the Victoria registration district, three from Kowloon and one from Shaikwan, were notified for the 24 hours ended midnight Thursday.

Other returns were three cases of cerebro-spinal fever, two of dysentery, were also notified.

TURNING THE PAGES

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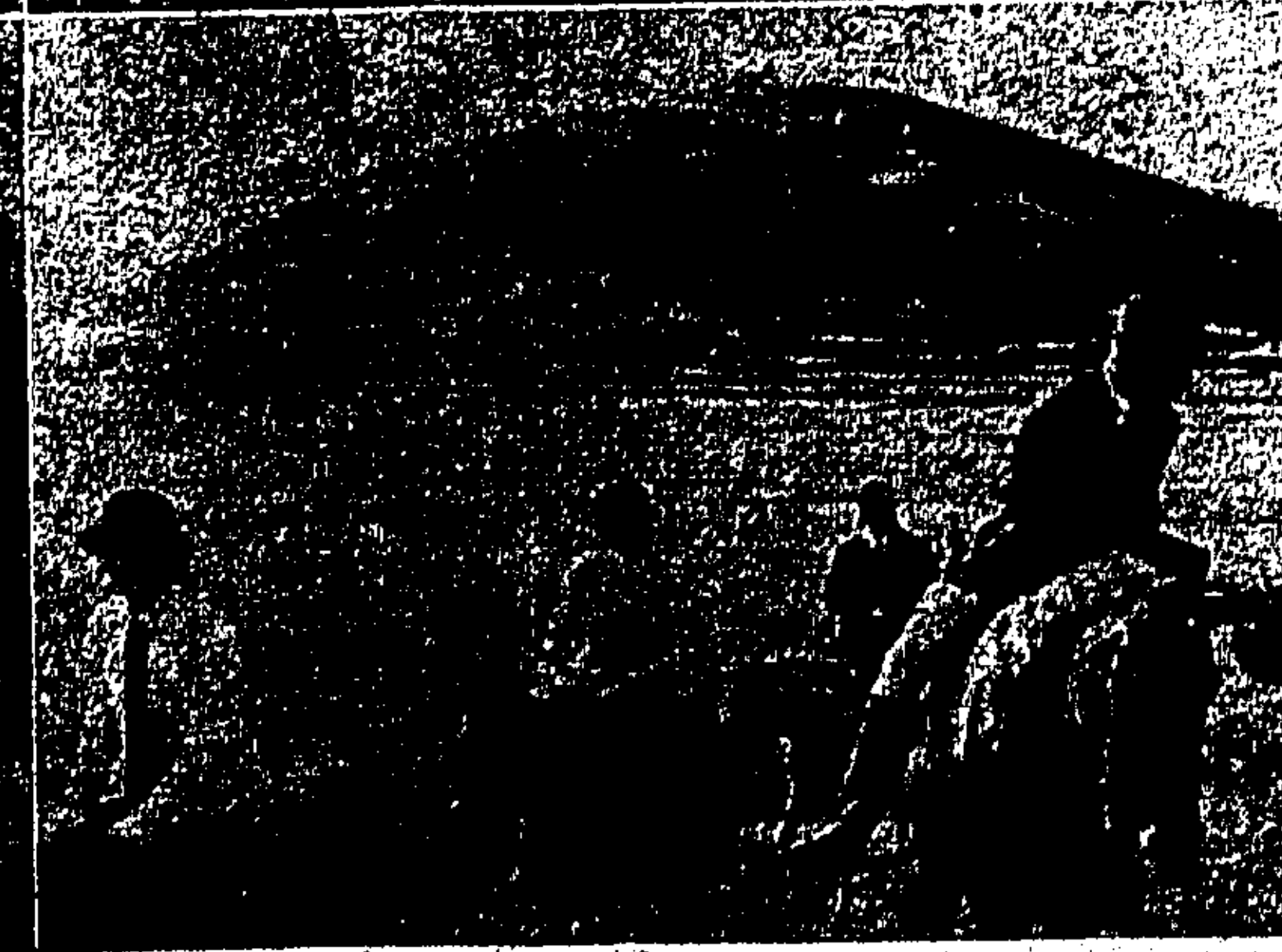
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Page 16.—Boxing story. Badminton results.



ARMED ROBBERY CHARGE**Three Men On Trial**

Appearing on a charge of armed robbery three unemployed men, Ho Ping, 43, Cheung Man, 21, and Chong Chun-hong, 30 were committed to the Criminal Sessions by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen, at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court, yesterday.

Detective-Inspector A. E. Carey said that in the early hours on the day in question, a person knocked at the door of No. 137, Fuk Wah Street, third floor, and said that he had brought a present for someone in the house. When the door was opened, two other men rushed in and attacked the inmates. The alleged robbers then threatened them with knives and tied them with wire. They then searched the premises, after which the robbers decamped with money and jewelry.

Third defendant, Chong Chun-hong, together with another man, Lui Sum, also appeared on a charge of possession of a five-chambered revolver and five rounds of ammunition. Pleading guilty, Lui was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment.

HEROIN PILL DIVANS

Two heroin pill divan keepers were dealt with by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistrate's Court yesterday.

Li Yau, aged 29, was fined \$90, in default five months' hard labour, for keeping a divan at Shing Wo Road, possession of four mace of prepared opium, and possession of 486 heroin pills.

Lam Hing, 37, charged with keeping an opium divan in Yuen Street, and with possession of 14 taels of prepared opium, was fined \$95, in default two months' hard labour.

H. Seidler, of the Repulse Bay Hotel, appeared before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court yesterday on a summons for leaving his vehicle unattended for about two hours near the Po Hing Theatre, and was fined \$5.

BRIBE CHARGES PROVED**Police Seamen Fined**

Two seamen of the Water Police, Leung Ngau, and Li Kau, appeared on remand before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court, yesterday, on four charges of misconduct by receiving and soliciting gratuities from boatmen at Shaukiwan on January 16.

It was alleged that defendants received from Kwok King-ming and Leung Ming-tu, sums of \$3 and \$2, respectively, and on the same afternoon solicited similar sums from two masters of fishing junks as "protection money." They were arrested by Inspector Wright of the Shaukiwan Police Station, following a report made to him by an elder of the district.

Mr. F. H. Loseby appeared for the defence and pleaded not guilty. Defendants were convicted on three charges and were fined \$12 and \$25, respectively.

THEFT CHARGES

Sentence of six months' imprisonment was imposed on Wong Wai when he was charged before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court, yesterday, for snatching a handbag from a Chinese woman.

Two months' hard labour was imposed on Suen Hang, 40, unemployed, when he pleaded guilty before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistrate's Court yesterday to stealing \$123.75 from Mr. Leung Chi-ting, accountant, at No. 24 D'Aguiar Street on January 28.

BANISHEE COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

Leung Sang, aged 36, was committed by Mr. R. Edwards, at the Central Magistrate's Court, yesterday, to stand trial at the Criminal Sessions on a charge of breach of the deportation ordinance.

Evidence was given that defendant had been sent away for ten years on January 12, 1937, and was arrested in May Road on January 10, 1938.

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY**Symposium On Understanding**

Mrs. M. P. Talati took the chair at the Symposium on Understanding held at the lodge room of the local Theosophical Society on Thursday.

Mr. J. S. Greenberg was the first to speak. His particular emphasis on understanding was its importance at the present time. He pointed out the tremendous growth of power for the individual and the position today as it had developed from past centuries. The businessman, he said, was comparable to a baton of old who had the means of life in his hand. This responsible aspect of business was either unheard-of or mocked at now when businessmen still underpaid their workers, bought cheap material to be manufactured and sold as expensive articles.

True economy was to be praised but undignified profit-grabbing weakened the social structure which was continually being propped up by conscientious businessmen. It was time to encourage as a general outlook the atmosphere of understanding and brotherhood. Every movement and organisation which postulated brotherhood was to be encouraged and an attempt made to illustrate the real satisfaction of brotherly action. Only then would nations, now behaving like ruthless, avaricious businessmen, cease their rapacious grabbing and commence to woo the goodwill of more dignified nations.

MISUNDERSTANDING

Mr. M. R. Deb contended that understanding was knowledge. Where there was no knowledge there was misunderstanding and strife. Mr. Deb cited the fact that a good many Chinese had a vague but very terrifying idea as to the character of Indians and when in his work he ventured into the villages of the New Territories he was originally greeted by the sight of fleeing children. Later, however, when they got to know him and thereby began to understand him and they became very friendly and thereafter welcomed him warmly.

54 TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS**Weekly Return**

In the Colony of Hong Kong including the Island, Kowloon and the New Territories during the week ending at 6 a.m. on Saturday, January 29, there were altogether 54 traffic accidents, as the result of which one person was killed and 15 persons were injured.

The person killed, a Chinese male, aged about 40 years, died from injuries received through falling from a moving motor lorry.

Of the persons injured, 10 were pedestrians, who were either walking or running across the road and were struck by vehicles.

Three tramcar passengers were injured while alighting from moving tramcars.

One lorry passenger was injured through falling from a moving motor lorry.

A motor cycle driver was injured when his machine overturned.

Of the 54 accidents, 23 were collisions between vehicles; 18 were collisions between vehicles and pedestrians; and 13 accidents were due to other causes.

SUMMARY OF ACCIDENTS

Year	Total	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1936	2,483	1,100	75
1937	2,591	1,118	78

Thus, Mr. Deb insisted, would be the case of all that we at present proselytized and if we took the trouble to learn of other conditions we would become more understanding.

Mrs. M. P. Talati said that the first essential to understanding was to realise the unity of life. The Bagavad-Gita answered fully the question which rose as to why should the expression of that Life in men be so faulty. It was because man grew to the stature of God as a child grew to be a man. We were to understand the mistakes of a man in the same light as we would not hate a little child for being naughty. In this way we would be led to the true understanding and the brotherliness which flows from the heart and which ever repairs the ravages of those who do not know.

DISPUTE OVER HOUSE**Judgment For Defendant**

Arising out of a dispute over the possession of a dwelling house in Kowloon Tong, Cheng Kwok brought a summary jurisdiction action against Georgy Escher, claiming the possession of the premises known as No. 2, Stafford Road, and costs of action.

The case was heard before the Puisse Judge, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, in the Summary Court, yesterday, and judgment was given for defendant.

Mr. R. M. King, of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master, represented the plaintiff, while defendant appeared in person.

According to the statement of claim, the plaintiff was entitled to possession of the dwelling house and premises, known as No. 2, Stafford Road, which was let by the plaintiff to the defendant as a monthly tenant under a verbal agreement, which tenancy was duly determined by notice to quit expiring on December 31, 1937.

After evidence was given, His Lordship, delivering judgment, said:

"The conflict in the evidence given by the first and second witnesses of the plaintiff, on two material points, leads me to accept the evidence given by the defendant. The defendant said he was given to understand that, by the handing over of the key, of which I accept his version, the terms set out in his letter were accepted. And that being so, there was an agreement, or at any rate, the plaintiff is clearly stopped from denying the existence of such an agreement."

"There must, therefore, be judgment for defendant."

ASSAULT CASE

Ball of \$2500 was fixed when Keung Lin-to, 38, carpenter on board a junk, appeared before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistrate's Court yesterday, charged with assaulting Chau Sam, junk foki.

Mr. C. A. Sutherland Russ appeared for the defence.

CHANDU FOUND ON WARSHIP**Cabin-Boy Charged**

Charged with being in possession of 600 one-tahli tins of Red Lion chandu, valued at \$4,800, in H.M.S. Defender, Chan Ah Ming, the Commander's cabin-boy, stood trial in the Criminal District Court, Singapore, before Mr. H. A. Forster, District Judge, recently.

The warship arrived at Singapore from China ports on January 13 to take part in the manoeuvres.

The accused claimed trial, and Mr. H. J. Johnston, of the Excise Department, conducted the case for the prosecution.

The prosecution alleged that at 3 p.m. on January 14, Mr. R. L. Pym, with an Assistant Supervisor and a party of Revenue Officers,

boarded H.M.S. Defender, at the request of the Naval Base authorities.

During the course of a search in the Commander's cabin, Mr. Mohamed Sidik found 200 tahls of chandu in the bottom drawer of a wardrobe. After a further search 400 tahls of chandu were discovered under the Commander's bunk.

The total amount of chandu found was 600 tahls, valued at \$4,800.

The Commander and the boy were present at that time. The cabin-boy was then taken to Clifford Pier, and was later charged at the Central Police Station.

CAUGHT IN CAR

Lieut. R. H. S. Clarke, R.N., of No. 7, Humphreys' Building, appeared as complainant before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court yesterday when Kwok Tam-ching, a caddie of the Kowloon Golf Club, appeared on a charge of interfering with his motor car which was parked just beyond the Kowloon Golf Club course.

Detective-Sergt. Macpherson said that the complainant found defendant inside the car. He added that there had been many articles missing from complainant's vehicle recently.

Defendant was fined \$5.

K.K.K. AGENCY CHANGE

The Nippon Yusen Kaisha has relinquished the Agency in Hong Kong of Messrs. Kokusai Kisen Kaisha, as far as the Outward voyage of their Orient-New York Line is concerned, as from the end of January.

It is understood that Messrs. Osaka Shosen Kaisha, Hong Kong, will act as their successor as from February 1, and, therefore, all inquiries and communications in respect of the outward voyage of ships on the above line should be addressed to Messrs. Osaka Shosen Kaisha.

DANGEROUS DRIVING CASE DISMISSED

A charge of driving without due care and caution was dismissed by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistrate's Court yesterday after only one witness had been called.

Defendant was So Kai-chol, aged 28, and the charge was made against him following an incident in Hennessy Road, near Tin Lok Lane, on January 8, when, it was alleged, a private car, driven by him, knocked down two people, one of whom was Police Constable C698.

Defendant was discharged after the evidence of this constable had been heard.

Mr. D. B. Evans, of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master, defended.

LOCAL ESTATES

Kan Pak Hing, retired clerk, late of No. 26 Des Voeux Road Central, ground floor, who died at the age of 63 on June 4, 1937, left local estate sworn under \$28,700. Probate of the will of the deceased has been granted to Ho Lai, silk merchant, Kan Lai To, student, and Kan Keng Tsui, clerk.

Local estate to the value of \$26,300 was left by Anna Dorothea Bunje, widow, late of No. 8 Torres Building, (No. 38 Kimberley Road), who died on November 26, 1937. Probate of the will of the deceased has been granted to Henry Ferdinand Bunje, shipping manager.

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PAGE FOR THE CHURCHES

CATHOLIC NEWS AND NOTES

GOOD PRESS DAY

It is a Catholic custom throughout the world to call particular attention on one Sunday each year to the Catholic press, and this is being done in Hong Kong tomorrow. The purpose of this is to remind Catholics of the publications which are specially intended to cater for them, and to explain their value and their purpose. The Vicar Apostolic of Hong Kong, Mr. Valtorta, issued a special letter on the subject of the "Good Press" last month, and as a result of the special interest in the subject aroused by this letter, an exhibition of Catholic periodicals in English and Chinese will be held tomorrow. This exhibition will be open all day at St. Patrick's Club, Garden Road, and admission will be free to all. Special attention is being given in this display to a selected number of periodicals in English and Chinese which are particularly recommended as likely to appeal to local readers. Many Catholic publications from England and America are included. The exhibition is being held under the auspices of the Catholic Truth Society of Hong Kong, and this organization undertakes to order Catholic books and periodicals from any part of the world. In connection with Good Press Day there will be a special service in St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road, at 4.0 p.m. when the Rev. Fr. G. Byrne S.J. will preach on "Mind Starvation."

"THE RIVULET"

A new Catholic periodical has appeared in Hong Kong. It is called "The Rivulet" and is a paper for girls. It costs 20 cents and at present it is a quarterly. It is entirely written and produced locally and reflects great credit on the group of young ladies who are responsible for it. What will interest most people who see a copy of this magazine is the difference for girls outlook between it and the ordinary magazine intended for girls or young ladies. The magazine has a definitely serious tone, and in both the articles and the stories puts a much higher ideal than that of pleasure before its readers. There is a considerable amount of variety in the contents and the magazine should prove very popular among the readers for whom it is intended.

LOURDES

Friday next, February 11th, is the feast of "Our Lady of Lourdes."

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

6th February: 5th Sunday after Epiphany—18th Anniversary of the Election of Our Holy Father Pius XI. Catholic Press Day.

First Mass and General Communion at 8 a.m.
Second Mass at 10 a.m., followed by Benediction of Blessed Sacrament.

This Service will be broadcast. Sermon on "The Church and Reading," by Rev. Father Donnelly S. J.

Catechism for Children at 3 p.m.

At 4 p.m. Special Good Press Day Service. The Rev. Fr. G. Byrne will preach on "Mind Starvation."

At St. Patrick's Club Exhibition of Catholic Books and Periodicals, open from 8.45 a.m. to 7.00 p.m.

11th February, Friday: Apparition of Our Lady at Lourdes.

Holy Mass at 8 a.m.
Abstinence is dispensed.

On week-days Holy Mass at 8 a.m.

Confessions are heard every day before and after Mass. On Saturdays, the special time for Confessions is from 4.30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

ST. TERESA'S CHURCH

Divine Services

February 5, Saturday, at 3 p.m. General Meeting of St. Teresa's C.Y.L.A. at 7 p.m. Rosary, Sermon in Chinese and Benediction at 8 p.m. General Meeting of St. Teresa's C.Y.M.S.

February 6, 5th Sunday after Epiphany: 7 a.m. Closing of the Chinese Retreat with Holy Mass, Sermon and Benediction; 8 a.m. Holy Mass, Sermon in English and Benediction; 9.30 a.m. Holy Mass with Sermon in English.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

6th February 1938
5th Sunday after Epiphany
8 a.m. Holy Communion.
8 a.m. Holy Communion in Peak Church.

11 a.m. Choral Eucharist.
Preached: Rt. Rev. Bishop Reiffenrath, of North Tokyo.
6.30 p.m. Evensong.

Preacher: Rev. H. W. Baines.

Children's Services
The Cathedral 10 a.m. Kindergarten and Children's Service. Chapel of the Resurrection Happy Valley 9.30 a.m. Kindergarten and Sunday School.

St. Stephen's College, Science Room, Stanley, 3.30 p.m. Kindergarten and Sunday School.

Week-days
Holy Communion is celebrated on—

Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7.30 a.m.

Wednesday, at 7.30 a.m. in the Peak Church.

Friday, at 7.45 a.m. (in Cantonese).

Prayers for the sick, Wednesday, 10.15 a.m.

Daily, a Special Service of Prayer:

12.00-12.12 p.m. in English.

12.12-12.24 p.m. in Chinese.

Other Notices

February 8, 1.15 p.m.—Cathedral Church Council Meeting, Cathedral Hall.

February 7, 8 p.m.—Badminton, Cathedral Hall.

February 9, 5 p.m.—Badminton, Cathedral Hall.

February 11, 8 p.m.—Badminton, Cathedral Hall.

Confirmation. Preparation will begin on February 6. The names of any adult candidates or of children, sent by their parents, will be gladly received by the Chaplain.

A reception to welcome Dean and Mrs. Wilson will be held in the Cathedral Hall on Monday, February 14 at 5.30 p.m.

CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

The following are the forthcoming services at the Catholic Cathedral, Cathine Road:

February 6th—5th Sunday after Epiphany.

Good Press Day

Morning Services:

1st: Mass at 6 with sermon in Chinese.

2nd: Mass at 8—Solemn High Mass followed by the Procession and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

3rd: Mass at 10 with sermon in English.

Evening Services:

At 2.30 Religious Instruction to Young People.

At 3.30 Catechetical Instruction for Adults.

At 4.00 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Recitation of the Holy Rosary and Benediction.

February 7th—St. Romuald, Abbott.

February 9th—St. Cyril, Bishop of Alexandria and Doctor of the Church.

February 11th—Apparition of Our Lady at Lourdes.

February 12th—18th Anniversary of the Coronation of the Holy Father Pope Pius XI.

At 5.30 p.m. Thanksgiving service: Te Deum and Solemn Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

On week days Mass at 6 and 7.30. Confessions morning and evening.

EMMANUEL MISSION CHURCH

The following are the services for the week at Emmanuel Mission Church, 218 Nathan Road, Kowloon.

Saturday, 8.30 p.m. Fellowship Meeting followed by the Lord's Supper.

Sunday, 11 a.m. Divine Service. Rev. Howard Van Dyck.

Sunday, 3 p.m. Sunday School Young Women's Bible Class. Young Men's Bible Class.

Sunday, 6.30 p.m. Service in Mandarin. Preacher, Mr. Andrew Gilh.

Sunday, 8.30 p.m. Gospel Service preceded by Song Service at 8.00 p.m. Preacher, Mr. H. A. Weller.

Monday, 8 p.m. S.A.C.A. Blackboard Meeting.

Tuesday, 8 p.m. Young People's Club.

Wednesday, 2.30 p.m. Ladies Sewing Circle at 1, Canton Villas, Observatory Road.

Wednesday, 8 p.m. Sunday School Teachers' Preparation.

Wednesday, 8 p.m. Praise and Prayer Meeting.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

KOWLOON

(Church of England)

V.D.M.A. RECRUITING TEAM

Social to Union Church.

The following are the forthcoming services etc., at St. Andrew's Church Kowloon Sunday, February 6.

5th Sunday after Epiphany. Holy Communion 8 a.m.

Mattins and sermon at 11 a.m.

Preacher:—The Vicar (The Rev. J. R. Higgs).

Evensong and Address at 6.15 p.m.

Preacher:—The Rev. G. F. S. Gray.

Young Peoples' Service in the Church at 10 a.m.

Primary Sunday School in the Hall 10 a.m.

Monday, Medical War Relief Working Party in the Hall at 10 a.m.

Fellowship of Youth 6 p.m.

St. Andrew's Club Badminton at 8.30 p.m.

V.D.M.A. Recruiting Team Meeting at the Vicarage at 8.45 p.m.

Tuesday, St. Andrew's Brownie Pack meets at 3.30 p.m.

Boys' Choir Practice at 8 p.m.

Wednesday, Medical War Relief Working Party at 10 a.m.

Intercession Service in connection with the War at 12 noon.

St. Andrew's Wolf Cubs meet at 5.30 p.m.

St. Andrew's Rover Scouts meet at 8.30 p.m.

Thursday, Weekly meeting of the Women's Fellowship at 3 p.m.

Speaker:—Miss Meryll Cameron.

St. Andrew's Boy Scout Troop meets at 6 p.m.

St. Andrew's Club will hold a social in the hall at 8.30 p.m., when members of the Union Church will be its guests.

Friday, Medical War Relief Working Party at 10 a.m.

Full Choir Practice at 6.30 p.m.

ROSARY CHURCH

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at the Rosary Church, 20 Chatham Road—Kowloon.

Sunday, Feb. 6—5th Sunday after Epiphany.

16th Anniversary of the Election of Our Holy Father Pope Pius XI.

At 6.30. Mass with sermon in Chinese.

At 7.30. Mass with sermon in English.

At 8.30. Mass with sermon in Portuguese.

At 9.30 Mass with sermon in English, followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

At 2 p.m. Catechetical Instruction in Chinese.

At 2.30 p.m. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Monday, Feb. 7—General Meeting of the Children of Mary at 6 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 9—Meeting of the C.C.V.S. at 5.30 p.m.—Meeting of the C.Y.M.S. at 6 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 11—To-day the abstinence is dispensed—Anniversary of the First Apparition of Our Lady at Lourdes (a. 1858).

Choral Mass in honour of Our Lady at 7.30—Recitation of the Holy Rosary, Procession to the "Grotto" of Our Lady of Lourdes, sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 8 p.m.

At the St. Paul's Chapel, 185 Portland Street, Yau-mat, Mass with sermon in Chinese on Sunday at 5.45.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE BRIGADE

HOME NURSING LECTURES

Dr. Parrin Ruttonjee, M.B.E.S. will commence a series of lectures in Home Nursing on Thursday, 10 at 5.30 p.m. at St. John Ambulance Headquarters, Tai Hang Road.

It is essential that those wishing to take the course should be present at the first lecture.

Thursday, 10.30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study Circle at No. 218 Nathan Road. This is open to all ladies in the Colony who are interested in the Bible.

Friday, 8 p.m. Bible Study Circle conducted by Mr. C. R. Joneson, 3 United Terrace, Ho Man Tin St. (Top floor).

The Services are open to all. No Collection on Sunday Evening.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON SERMON

SUBJECT: SPIRIT

The subject of the lesson-sermon in all churches of Christ, Scientist, tomorrow Feb. 6 will be "Spirit."

The Golden Text will be "Grieve not the holy spirit of God, whereby ye are sealed unto the day of redemption." (Eph. 4.) Among others the following citations will be read from the Bible, "and there sat a certain man at hystra, impotent in his feet, being a cripple from his mother's womb, who never had walked: the same heard Paul speak: Who, steadfastly beholding him and perceiving that he had faith to be healed, said with a loud voice, Stand upright on thy feet. And he leaped and walked." Acts 14:8-10.

The following citations will also be read from the Christian Science Text book "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy. "We never read that Luke or Paul made a reality of disease in order to discover some means of healing it."

Jesus never asked if disease were acute or chronic and he never recommended attention to laws of health, never gave drugs, never prayed to know if God were willing that a man should live. When we come to have more faith in the truth of being than we have in matter, more faith in living than in dying, more faith in God than in man, then no material suppositions can prevent us from healing the sick and destroying error. (Pages 369-368).

ANNOUNCEMENT

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Hong Kong, a Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Mass., MacDonnell Road close to Tram Station. Sunday Service 11.15 a.m.

Testimony Meeting, Wednesday 6 p.m. A Reading Room is located at Bank of East Asia Building, 10 Des Voeux Road Central and is open daily 10.30 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturdays 10.30 a.m.-12.30 p.m., evenings except Wednesdays and Saturdays 5-7 p.m. All authorised Christian Science Literature is available at the Reading Room. The public is invited to attend the services and to visit the Reading Room.

ENGLISH METHODIST CHURCH

HONG KONG (ENGLISH) CIRCUIT

Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong, (opposite the Royal Naval Hospital).

Sunday Services, Feb. 6, 1938.

Preachers: Morning, Rev. J. E. Sandbach—Evening, Capt. Holland.

Morning Parade Service at 10.15 at the English Methodist Church: Hymn No. 7, Prayer, Lord's Prayer, Hymn No. 48, 1st Lesson, Hymn No. 383, 2nd Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 463, Sermon, Hymn No. 590, Benediction.

The Morning service will be followed by the Celebration of Holy Communion.

Evening Service at 7 p.m. at the English Methodist Church: Hymn No. 678, Prayer, Hymn No. 431, Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 108, Sermon, Hymn No. 61, Benediction.

Notices for the Week

Following the Evening Service, a Social Hour will be held at 8.15. Refreshments are provided at minimum charges; all Servicemen and civilians are warmly welcomed.

The Badminton Club meets on Mondays and Thursdays at 7.30 p.m. Further particulars from the Secretary of the "S. and S. Home."

A Meeting for Prayer will be held at the Chaplain's Room on Tuesday at 8.

Preliminary Notice. A Grand Concert will be given in the theatre of the China Fleet Club by the Hong Kong Singers on Mar. 9.

THE ENGLISH BIBLE

In the spring and summer there will be nation-wide celebrations of the first placing of the English Bible in the churches in 1538. It is also proposed to hold a conference of all the Churches and the various movements within the Churches, attended by representatives from overseas, for a great act of witness.

June 19 will be observed as Thanksgiving Sunday.

A "provisional middle school" will be opened by the Ministry of Education at Tientsin, Kansu, for the students and teachers from war zones. One thousand students will be admitted.

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TODAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:—
"Heidi"
QUEEN'S:—
"The Life of Emile Zola"
ORIENTAL:—
"On The Avenue"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:—
"Night Key"
STAR:—
"Angel"
MAJESTIC:—
"The Prisoner Of Zenda"

Sunday

KING'S:—
"Heidi"
QUEEN'S:—
"The Life of Emile Zola"
ORIENTAL:—
"Way Out West"
ALHAMBRA:—
"High Flyers"
STAR:—
"Souls At Sea"
MAJESTIC:—
"Fire Over England"

LIFE OF EMILE ZOLA

Supported by a cast that had been hand picked by Director William Dieterle, Muni gives a colourful impression of his times. The picture opens on a scene of the novelist's humble home when Zola and Paul Cezanne starved together in a Parisian garret. It moves then through the penny-pinching days when he supported a wife on a clerk's meagre salary, and thence through his progressively successful career when he first shocked Paris into consciousness of himself as a writer of realistic fiction by his revelations of the life of a Paris prostitute in "Nana."

It shows his prolific outpourings later whereby he aroused Frenchmen to a consciousness of themselves and the wrongs committed against them by a blundering government. The film moves episodically but grandly to Zola's fight for the release of Capt. Alfred Dreyfus from Devil's Island.

The Dreyfus case, which was a cause celebre during the Nineteenth Century, formed an exciting climax to Zola's career as a champion of truth and liberty, and is, consequently, the dramatic highlight of this film biography. "The Life of Emile Zola" is showing at the Queen's Theatre today.

NIGHT KEY

Boris Karloff's starring picture. Universal's "Night Key," presenting him in a new kind of role, is showing at the Alhambra Theatre today. In it the star abandons the grotesque make-up of his former roles and, playing the part "straight," reveals himself as a dramatic actor of outstanding talent.

The story centres around one of the great burglar alarm systems such as guard thousands of banks and business firms throughout the nation. Karloff is cast as an inventor who has been robbed of the system which he created. When he invents an improved system and is robbed of it, too, he declares vengeance on his enemy. With an instrument which neutralizes burglar alarms, he enters one store after another to show the ineffectiveness of the old system and to destroy confidence in the alarm operated by his foe.

AT THE KING'S

Shirley Temple as "Heidi!" Millions the world over have been enthralled by the warmth, the tenderness and the charming beauty of Johanna Spyri's beloved story of Heidi and all the colourful folk who lived and laughed and loved high up in the Swiss Alps, just beneath the stars.

Translated into all languages and read everywhere, it is a story that had to wait for its star before it could be brought to the screen. The Twentieth Century-Fox production of "Heidi," starring Shirley Temple, showing today at the King's Theatre, is the picture for which she'll remember always.

"Heidi" brings a Shirley Temple more glorious than has ever been known. In the picture she was asked to make by thousands of fans who wrote to the Twentieth Century-Fox studios.

CEYLON'S NEW GOVERNOR

Irresistible Charm

In the course of an interesting address on Ceylon before the members of the Malacca Rotary Club recently, Mr. P. G. Mahindasa referred to the popularity of the new Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, who was for many years in Malaya.

"The charm of Sir Andrew is irresistible," said Mr. Mahindasa, "and he has come at an opportune time when moderation has to be exercised in guiding the ship of State. In pronouncing his early policy he said he would exercise caution and go 'hem, hem, hem,' which means 'slow slow.' He was nevertheless an advocate of progress, and literally too where the railways were concerned. He thought them slow and that 50 miles an hour should be the objective. The recent arrival of Diesel units would show His Excellency meant business where expediting rail journeys was concerned."

"He has a very crowded life these days, officiating at openings of this show and that exhibition, but he carries on with his accustomed grace and cheer," said the speaker. "He is so often making references to Malaya, the scene of his early labours, that I am almost tempted to refer to him in military terms as a liaison officer between Ceylon and this wonderful peninsula of ours."

HIGH FLYERS AT ALHAMBRA

Wheeler and Woolsey, the two high-voltage funmakers of the screen, take to the air in what is said to be the maddest, merriest of all their big-laugh comedies, the new RKO Radio picture, "High Flyers," which opens at The Alhambra Theatre to-morrow.

Fleety Lupe Vélez is their leading lady, with Marjorie Lord, Margaret Dumont and Jack Carson appearing in prominent roles. The comedians are cast as operators of a trick airplane concession, with Wheeler as a grounded ace giving flying lessons, while Woolsey officiates as "marker."

Trouble starts when the pair accept a proposition to fly out to sea and pick up a package which will be tossed overboard from an incoming steamer. They steal a plane from the harbour police, meet the steamer and get the package. It contains jewels belonging to Arlington, owner of a country estate, which have been stolen aboard the steamer by a confederate of the crook who employed them.

Chased by a revenue cutter they fly inland, and crash down on the Arlington estate, where the owner mistakes them for detectives sent to investigate a series of which have recently taken place there. The real culprit is a dog, "Spot," a canine kleptomaniac, whose thievish propensities cause all sorts of complications. The jewels are hidden, stolen again several times, until finally the partners recover the loot for its owner.

Other players in the cast are Charles Judels, Lucien Prival, Herbert Evans, Herbert Clifton and George Irving.

AT THE ORIENTAL

Feb. 4-5.—On the Avenue (20th-Century Fox film) Dick Powell, Madeleine Carroll, Alice Faye.

6, 7, 8.—Way Out West (M.G.M. Picture) Laurel and Hardy.

9-10.—History is Made at Night (United Artists Picture) Charles Boyer, Jean Arthur, Leo Carrillo.

11-12.—100 Men and a Girl (Universal Picture) Deanna Durbin, Adolphe Menjou.

13, 14.—Prince and the Pauper (Warner Brothers Picture) Errol Flynn, Claude Rains, Henry Stephenson.

15-17.—Dragoman's Courage (Warner Brothers Picture) Jean Muir, Barton MacLane, Henry O'Neill.

18-19.—Charlie Chan at the Circus (20th-Century Fox film) Warner Oland, Keya Luke.

20-21.—Varsity Show (Warner Brothers Picture) Dick Powell, Fred Waring, Ted Healy.

22.—Just Imagine (Fox Picture) one day only by special request. El Brendel, Maureen O'Sullivan, John Garfield.

23-24.—Super Sleuth (R.K.O. Radio Picture) Jack Oake, Ann Rothern.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5

Anniversaries and Holidays.—
L. L. Mody born, 1837. J. B. Dunlop born, 1840. St. Agatha.

Cinemas.—(See Column 3 of this page).

Dances.—Royal Engineers Old Comrades' Assn. fortnightly Dance at Peninsula Hotel.

Malls.—(See Page 16).

Miscellaneous.—Exhibition of Hong Kong Industrial Output, at St. Paul's Boys' College, for War Relief Fund 11 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Moon.—I Moon, 6th Day. Social.—Craigengower Cricket Club fortnightly Whist Drive and Tombola, 9.15 p.m.

Sunrise.—7.01 a.m. Sunset.—8.14

Tides.—High at 12.21. Low at 04.15 and 18.15.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6

Moon.—I Moon, 7th Day. Sunrise.—7.01 a.m. Sunset.—8.13 p.m.

Tides.—High at 11.50 and 23.35. Low at 05.47 and 17.22.

LADY DRUMMOND HAY

Well-Known Journalist In Singapore

Lady Drummond Hay, the well-known journalist and author, is staying in Singapore at the Raffles Hotel for the purpose of being present during the manoeuvres, and of gaining a little more colour for her picture of the Pacific, on which she is to lecture to American audiences at the end of the year.

Lady Drummond Hay is making an extensive tour which will not be completed until September. She is visiting, among other places, Shanghai, Peking, Dairen, Tokyo, and Hawaii before embarking for San Francisco and New York.

From New York she crosses to Germany, and will return to America in the new German dirigible, built after the tragedy involving the Hindenburg, and specially reconstructed for the helium gas which America released for export as a result.

In conversation with a Malaya Tribune reporter, she was enthusiastic about the amenities provided by airship travel, which includes similar facilities to those obtainable on a steamer, but said it was not possible to express an opinion as to the relative safety of dirigibles and heavier-than-air craft. It was, she said, rather like asking the same question in connection with ships and motor-cars.

Lady Drummond Hay, in her capacity as a journalist, has personal experience of many of the international conflicts of recent years, and was in China when the Wuosung incident took place. She is extremely well-informed on international affairs, and writes with authority for many well-known journals, including those served by the North America Newspaper Alliance, and the Sphere, popular British weekly.

KING TO VISIT INDIA

London, Feb. 3.

The forthcoming visit of King George VI to India is gradually being brought to the forefront of public attention, mainly as the result of more reassuring messages from India, according to a despatch from Bombay to the "Evening News."

Mr. Gandhi has come out in condemnation of the attitude of the Congress Party in working for the boycott of the royal visit. It is regarded as fairly certain that Mr. Gandhi's efforts in this direction will meet with success, in which case the main obstacles standing in the way of the visit would be removed.

It is generally believed that the royal visit will take place this year, provided developments in the Far East are not such as to make the journey of the royal pair inadvisable. (Trans-Ocean).

Alexander's Ragtime Band, Zanuck's big musical based on the famous Irving Berlin tune and some new ones, will have Tyrone Power, Alice Faye, Don Ameche, Jack Haley and Ethel Merman in the chief parts. Due for production early this year.

KING'S

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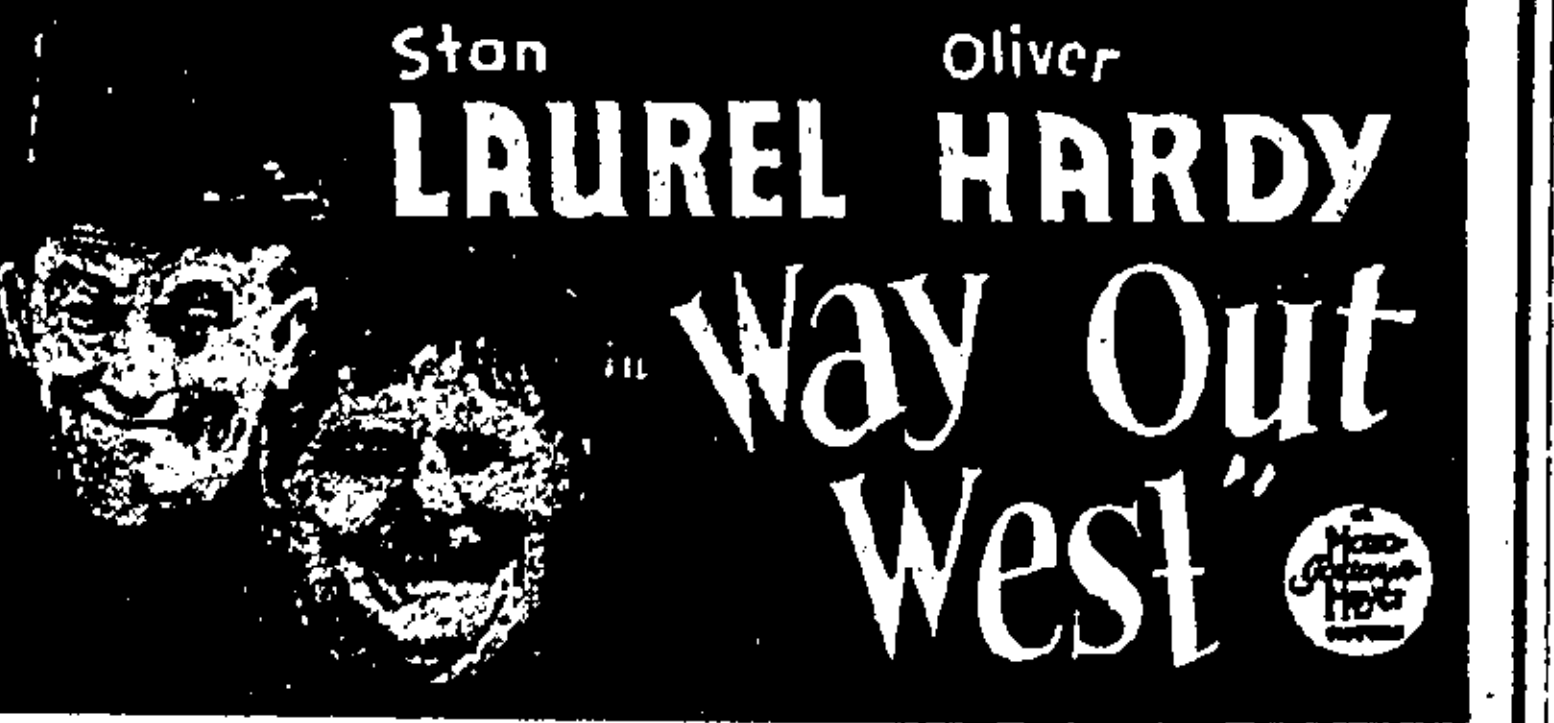
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in "SOULS AT SEA"

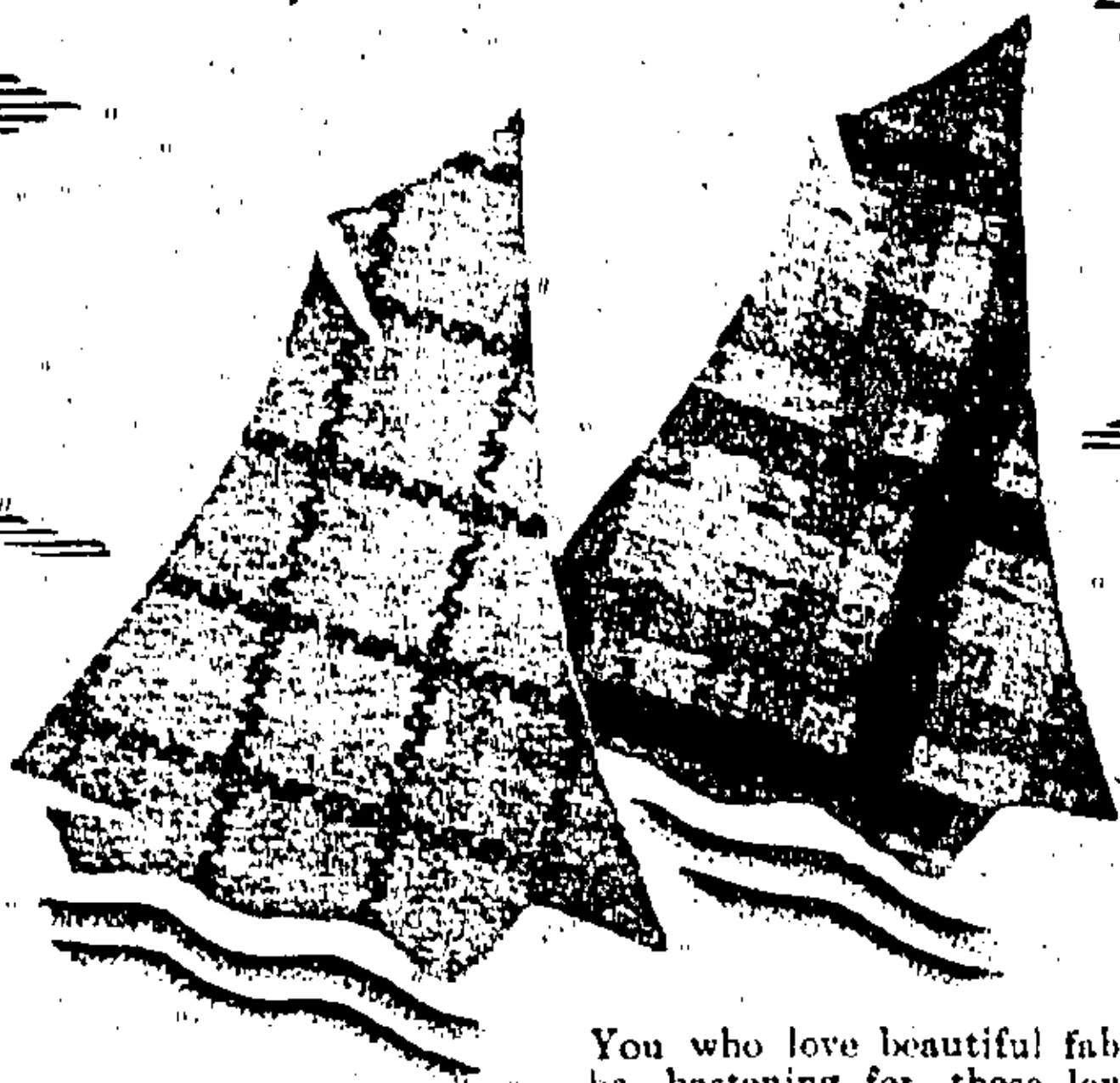
REPUBLICAN ACTION

Barcelona, Feb. 3.

The Republican Ministry of Defence has issued instructions to the Republican Air Force to abstain from air bombing of open towns. (Trans-Ocean).

More than 1,000,000 natives of Shensi are participating in the Mass Self-Defence Corps which are organized under the auspices of the Shensi War-Aid Association. They are now undergoing intensive military training.

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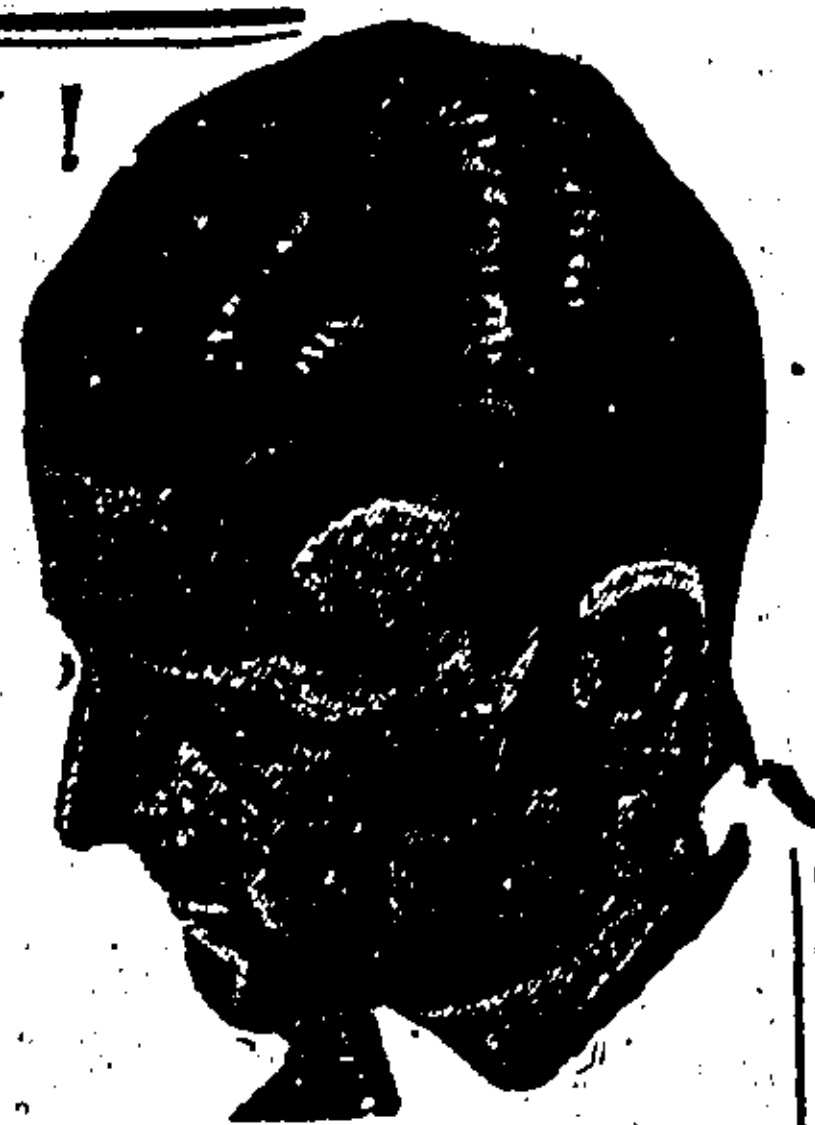
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JOURNEY'S END

Car Journey From Hankow

The following interesting letter appeared in a recent issue of the Central China Post.

To The Editor,
Sir,—Should you consider the following of general interest to the readers of your valuable paper, perhaps you will be so kind as to allow same to appear for a couple of days in your pages.

We now have two five-seater cars ready to leave Journey's End for Hongkong, each car to carry a maximum of three persons with hand luggage. The cars to be in the charge of English and German drivers, with Chinese spoken fluently.

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The shooting season is turning out better than either 1936 or '37; plenty of health-giving exercise and a passable library.

It is now possible to drive from here to Hankow by car; thus guests, in case of an emergency, can always return to Hankow quite independent of either river steamer or plane.

Yours, etc.,

British Management,
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New China Gives Authoritative Views

LATEST ISSUE REVIEWED

"Give me a light please. You see the loss of blood has weakened my hand." I lighted a match for him and he took three deep puffs. Then he pulled the Kuomintang badge from his hat and said, "Take this little souvenir from me for the glory of China," and scarcely had the words been uttered than his head drooped. A brief sigh and he had joined the glorious dead."

"And he had joined the glorious dead." It is saddening to think of to how many of China's sons these words can be applied, their lives sacrificed in a struggle against a "nation composed of cold-blooded murderers, smugglers and poison-drug manufacturers."

It is of this sacrifice which Colonel Kuo Chung writes, in simple but telling language typified by the extract above, in the current issue of New China, in an appeal to fellow countrymen in the South Seas to assist their homeland in its hour of need.

New China provides a vast amount of reading in its 50 odd pages and, in addition to articles by authoritative writers on the present situation in China, the contents include pictorial and book review sections.

Our Faith, by Shao Lih-Tai; Why the War, by Dr. Sun Fo; Our War of Resistance, a free translation of the speech by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek to the nation on December 15; Our Responsibility and Our Task, by Wang Ching-Wei; and The Present War and After, by General Li Tsung-jen—just to mention some of the headings will give the prospective reader an inkling of the valuable material appearing in this publication.

To readers overseas much of interest will be found in the contribution by Walter Hanning Chen, in which he points how generously Chinese living abroad have donated money to help their people at home but, while not wishing to discourage them from contributing money to properly constituted organizations, warns them against victimization by imposters.

NEW YORK WORLD'S FAIR

SIXTY NATIONS, TO TAKE PART

Sixty nations—the largest number ever to participate in any international exposition, are already on the roster of the New York World's Fair 1939. It was announced recently by Mr. Grover A. Whalen, president of the Fair Corporation.

The joint resolution of Congress, authorizing the President to invite the nations of the world to take part in the Fair, has been accepted officially by forty-six countries and the League of Nations. Fourteen other countries, Mr. Whalen said, have reserved space and will sign shortly.

With such a record established 15 months before the opening of the Fair on April 30, 1939, Mr. Whalen predicted that the final roster of foreign participants would be a complete roll call of nations.

The President of the Fair explained that three methods of participation have been followed by foreign governments. Some have taken space in the Hall of Nations; many will erect their own buildings; others have taken both covered and uncovered space. At present, fifteen countries have adopted the dual plan of participation. Twelve are confining their activities to the Hall of Nations, which will cover six acres. The total amount of ground space available for foreign buildings is 1,175,000 square feet or almost ten city blocks.

PRELIMINARY ESTIMATES

According to Mr. Whalen, ten governments already have made preliminary estimates of what they will expend on their exhibits. These figures, he said, total \$3,440,000. The total expenditure of foreign nations is expected to reach \$25,000,000. Mr. Whalen reported that fourteen nations have appointed Fair commissioners and that nine have already agreed to send fleets of warships or planes to New York while the Exposition is in progress.

Many countries already are far along in the planning stage and are making elaborate preparations for their exhibits.

Sir Louis Beale, British Commissioner General, is now in New York arranging for participation of Great Britain, which has requested 40,000 square feet in the Hall of Nations and 100,000 square feet of ground space for herself and her empire. Italy has taken 110,000 square feet—100,000 for a building—and has named Vice Admiral Giuseppe Cantu Commissioner General and Michele B. Siri-Vici official architect. The French government has taken 110,000 square feet—10,000 in the Hall of Nations—and has appointed Marcel Olivier Commissioner General and Pierre Patour chief architect. They have visited the site and have plans well under way.

VALENTINES

The feast of St. Valentine falls on February 14 and special significance attaches to it this year at the London Museum because of the recent important addition to the Museum's collection of "Valentines."

The new acquisition is the remainder of the private collection formed by the late Jonathan King, of Islington, who was well known as a maker of valentines and Christmas cards, and given to the Museum by his son, Mr. A. Ashford King. Part of the collection was bought by the museum some 20 years ago, after the collector's death, and another portion then went to America.

The specimens range in date from about 1820 to 1900, and include many extremely elaborate cards, sometimes made in several layers which can be pulled out on the concertina principle; the foremost layer often being of transparent material on which cherubs or flowers are mounted. Some are heart-shaped, and many have sentimental inscriptions.

THIS YEAR'S ALDERSHOT TATTOO

The meeting between Henry VIII of England and Francis I of France on the Field of the Cloth of Gold, in 1520, will provide the 1938 Aldershot Tattoo with its most spectacular pageant.

Although the Tattoo does not begin until June 8, close upon 50,000 seats have already been booked. There will be nine performances instead of the customary eight.

BRITISH ENGINEERS DEFEND CAUTION

WIDE FAME CITED IN REPLY TO SCOT'S CRITICISM

Engineers up and down the country recently answered the criticism of Professor C. E. Inglis, the eminent Scottish authority on bridge-building, that "excessive caution has been the besetting sin of British engineers throughout the ages" by declaring that they had won world-wide fame for their high standard of work by reason of their caution, states the "Glasgow Bulletin."

Professor Inglis also claimed in a recent lecture that British engineers had never really allowed the principle of the survival of the fittest to play its part in shaping the evolution of bridge construction. He even went so far as to state that disasters, such as the Tay Bridge disaster, "had their scientific value in ensuring that bridge evolution was taking place along sensible lines."

Colonel F. H. Budden, formerly of the Royal Engineers, said that Continental engineers were prepared to take greater risks than British, but as a result they had many more failures. The question was—Which was the better policy? British engineers maintained that the very high standard of their work was sufficient justification for their policy.

AMERICAN COMPARISON

"The American," added Colonel Budden, "only designs machines to last about five years, because he knows new machines will be introduced by then, but we in this country design machines to last a lifetime."

Major R. F. Maitland, secretary of the Institution of Structural Engineers, said that very frequently British engineers were not able to design to more economical limits, because of the very rigid by-laws and regulations which prevented them from doing things which engineers in other countries were able to do. This applied particularly to structural engineers.

RULES MORE STRICT

"For example, the rules and regulations governing the construction of buildings and bridges in France, Belgium, and Germany are much less rigid than ours," said Major Maitland. "We are much more conservative over here, and, from the point of view of reputation, our policy of excessive caution has paid us well."

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THE SERVICES

ROYAL NAVY

IMPERIAL DEFENCE COURSE

Six captains, R.N., the same number as in past years, attended the 1938 course at the Imperial Defence College in Buckingham Gate, which began on January 18. Among them was a former submarine Commander, Captain G. C. O'Leary, D.S.O., D.S.C., from the post of Chief of Staff, Plymouth; a torpedo specialist, Captain W. E. Parry, from the command of the Anti-Submarine School; a signals officer, Captain G. H. Warner, D.S.C., late in command of the St. Vincent, boys' training establishment; a navigator, Captain M. J. Mansergh, promoted in June last when commander of the Rodney; and two non-specialists, Captain J. M. Howson, late staff officer in the Portsmouth Command, and Captain R. V. Symonds-Taylor, D.S.C., late staff officer in the Battle-Cruiser Squadron. All except Captain Mansergh have graduated at the R.N. Staff College.

THE NAVY'S TASK TO-DAY
Lord Cork's Advice To New Entries

At the Royal Naval Barracks recently Admiral Lord Cork and Orkney, Commander-in-Chief, Portsmouth, inspected the new entries into the Navy. On parade, under command of Commodore W. E. C. Tait and Commander J. F. W. Muford, were mustered 720 ratings from the barracks and 150 boys from the St. Vincent, under command of Captain H. T. Baillie-Grohman.

The Commander-in-Chief, addressing the parade, said they must not expect a slack time in the service, and if they found drill and discipline a little irksome at first they must remember that these things were practised so that efficiency might prevail in all circumstances. He had no doubt that the new entries would play their part in upholding the traditions of the Service as finely as had the generations of British seamen who had served in the Fleet in the past. It was the duty of the Navy, as it always had been, to ensure that food and other necessities of life reached the civilian population whatever dangers might have to be faced. For this all-round efficiency was necessary, and the career of the new entries would depend mainly on how efficient they made themselves in their work.

IST MINESWEEPING FLOTILLA

The Niger and Speedwell have been reduced to two-fifths complements at Devonport, and the Hussar, at Sheerness, until the completion of their refits in mid-April, when they will complete to full crews to rejoin the 1st Minesweeping Flotilla, Portland. During this period they will continue to be administered by the Captain, Fishery Patrol and Minesweeping. On relief by the new minesweeper Seagull next summer, the Speedwell will proceed to Chatham to join the Central Reserve of Minesweepers at standard notice.

PROMOTIONS IN THE ARMY

TERRITORIAL DIVISION COMMANDS

The following appointments have been approved by the King: Major-General W. G. Holmes, D.S.O., h.p., to be Commander,

2nd (East Lancashire) Division, Territorial Army, vice Major-General K. G. Buchanan, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., whose tenure expires on March 1.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier) R. V. Pollok, C.B.E., D.S.O., from Commandant, Senior Officers' School, Sheerness, to be General Officer Commanding, Northern Ireland District, with the rank of Major-General, vice Major-General Sir W. James N. Cooke-Collis, K.B.E., C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., whose tenure expires on May 7.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier) W. G. Lindsell, D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C., from Commander, Royal Artillery, 4th Division, to be Major-General in charge of Administration, Southern Command, with the rank of Major-General, vice Major-General W. P. H. Hill, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., Colonel, The Royal Fusiliers, whose tenure expires on May 23.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier) J. S. Drew, D.S.O., M.C., A.D.C., from Brigadier, General Staff, Southern Command, to be Commander, 52nd (Lowland) Division, Territorial Army, with the rank of Major-General, vice Major-General Sir Andrew J. McCulloch, K.B.E., C.B., D.C.M., Colonel, The Highland Light Infantry, whose tenure expires on March 30.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel (local Brigadier) F. C. Roberts, V.C., D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C., The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, to be Commander, Poona (Independent) Brigade Area, India, with the temporary rank of Brigadier, vice Colonel (temporary Brigadier) T. S. Riddell-Webster, D.S.O., A.D.C., who becomes Director of Movements and Quartering, War Office, April 1.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Gurney, The Suffolk Regiment, to be Commandant, Small Arms School and Officer in Charge of Records, Small Arms School Corps, with the temporary rank of Brigadier, vice Major-General D. G. Johnson, V.C., D.S.O., M.C., A.D.C., who has been appointed Commander, 4th Division, Lieutenant-Colonel will assume duty during February.

Colonel E. A. Forestier-Walker, h.p., to be Officer in Charge of Record and Pay Office, Royal Tank Corps, vice Colonel H. W. Dakynne, D.S.O., whose tenure expires on August 7.

Colonel G. V. W. Hill, D.S.O., at present Officer in Charge of Record and Pay Office, Lichfield (temporary), to be Officer in Charge of Infantry Record and Pay Office, Preston, vice Colonel J. Bois, D.S.O., M.C., whose tenure expires on October 24.

Lieutenant-Colonel O. G. Body, D.S.O., Royal Artillery, to be Deputy Director of Movements and Quartering (Assistant Quartermaster-General), Army Headquarters, India, vice Colonel B. L. Eddis, D.S.O., B.A., whose tenure expires on April 15.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

THE MISSION TO PORTUGAL Group Captain R. M. Field, who is leaving for Lisbon this month as a member of the British Services Mission to Portugal, has had a good deal of experience in foreign capitals, having been Air Adviser to the Finnish Government from 1925 to 1927 and Air Attache in Paris from 1933 to 1936. During the past two years he has commanded the R.A.F. station at Boscombe Down, Wilts.

ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY ANNUAL BALL

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Among our distinguished Guests tonight we have with us Admiral Sir Percy Noble who has just arrived to assume command of the China Station, and we extend to him a hearty welcome on his return here.

APPEAL FOR SUPPORT

I should like to take this opportunity of appealing to the Englishmen in the Colony, and who are not already members of St. George's Society to join it.

Although I believe there are a larger number of Englishmen than Scotchmen in the Colony, the St. George's Society is not so well supported as is the St. Andrew's Society. The Scotch are, of course, much more "clannish" than the English, and this accounts to a large extent for the better support of St. Andrew's Society or the lack of support of St. George's Society which ever seems to you to be the more appropriate way of expressing it.

I wish to take this opportunity of thanking the various Members of the Committees for the work they have done to make this Ball a success, and particularly Mr. Sommerfelt representing our Secretaries, who is a tower of strength to all our Presidents.

Your Excellencies, Ladies and Gentlemen, I will now ask you to rise and drink to the toast:

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PRESIDENT'S DINNER PARTY

The President and Mrs. Archbutt entertained the following to dinner:—His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, K.C.M.G., A.D.C. (Captain S. H. Batty-Smith), Private Secretary (G. Trevorton), H. E. Major Major General A. W. Bartholomew, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., (P. J. Howarth, R.A.), Commodore E. B. C. Dicken, O.B.E., D.S.O., Lt.-Comdr. and Mrs. N. de G. Waymouth, His Honour Sir Atholl MacGregor, K.C., and Lady MacGregor, Miss MacGregor Ross, Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, C.M.G., Mrs. and Miss Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Cassidy, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McLeay, Miss McLeay, Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson and Mrs. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taggart, Professor and Mrs. F. A. Redmond, Hon. Mr. M. T. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Shields, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wild, Mr. D. J. Sloss, C.B.E., M.A., Miss Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sommerfelt, Dr. G. D. R. Black, O.B.E., Vice-Admiral Sir Percy Noble, K.C.B., C.V.O., Flag Lieutenant P. Franklin.

OFFICIAL SUPPER PARTY
The official supper party was as follows:—President and Mrs. Bartholomew, H.E. the Governor and Mrs. Archbutt, Vice-President and Lady MacGregor, Vice-Admiral Sir Percy Noble and Mrs. Dodwell, Maj. General Bartholomew and Mrs. Smith, Sir Atholl MacGregor and Mrs. Dalzell, Commodore Dicken and Mrs. Hughes, Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith and Mrs. Cook, Wing Comdr. Dalzell and Mrs. Dowling, H. R. B. Hancock and Mrs. Pearce, A. W. Hughes and Mrs. Danby, T. E. Pearce and Mrs. Cassidy, E. Cook and Mrs. Pope, Lt. Col. Dowling and Mrs. Bousfield, Dr. G. W. Pope and Mrs. Cornell, P. S. Cassidy and Mrs. Roberts, W. A. Cornell and Mrs. Labrum, J. K. Bousfield and Mrs. Macgregor Ross, C. C. Roberts and Miss Cohen, J. D. Danby and V. C. Labrum.

FORTHCOMING WEDDINGS
The following forthcoming weddings are announced:
Mr. Charlie Kwek, clerk, residing at No. 57, Sai Yeung Choi Street, second floor, and Miss Annie Wong, of No. 24, Apiti Street, second floor.
Mr. Augustine Chow Yuen Lam, wireless operator, residing at No. 331, Nathan Road, ground floor, and Miss Yip Kwai Lan, of No. 39, Tung Choi Street, ground floor.

JUMBLE SALE

Organised by the ladies committee of the Cheero Club, the jumble sale held at the clubhouse yesterday was a great success.

For the benefit of wounded soldiers returning from the front, the Hankow War-Aid Association has decided to erect a matshed at the Bund Station, near the Japanese Concession, where the wounded may have their dressings changed. Stretchers will also be provided there. The Hankow Chamber of Commerce will be responsible for the erection of the matshed, while the Hankow Medical Association will look after the medical service.

CIVIL SERVANT RETIRING

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The following are amongst the many trophies won by him:—1906 Garrison Championship of Harriamith, O.R.C. South Africa, first place, and in All South Africa Championship, 2nd place. 1907 All South Africa Championship at Pretoria, 4th. His local successes include: Colony Rifle Championships in 1913, (Governor's Cup), 1920 (Wiltshire Cup), 1921 (Stephen Cup), and 1922 (Taggart Cup). He won the Revolver Colony Championship in 1922, and the H.K.V.D. Rifle Championships in 1919, 1921, 1922 (won outright), H.K.V. D.C. Revolver Championships 1921, 1922.

In 1919, at a parade on the Polo ground, the late Sir Claude Severn presented Mr. Grimes with a personal prize for "making the remarkable score of 154 out of a possible of 170," in the Volunteers' Annual Regular Musketry course.

AT BISLEY

At Bisley, in 1923, he was a member of a team of four representing The Far East, in the Junior Kolapore (Morning Post) Cup. This was the first time that the Far East had been represented by a team. The trophy was lost by one point only. The other members of the team were from Shanghai. At the same meeting, he was a member of the Far East team in the Senior McKinnon National match.

He was elected a vice-president of the H.K. Rifle Assn. at its formation, but resigned from that position over a year ago, though retaining his life membership.

Mr. Grimes has also been a prominent Freemason, having served as W.M. of United Services Lodge 1341 E.C. W.M. of United Mark and 1st Principal of United Chapter. He also gained the following Dist. Grand Lodge honours:—D.G. A.D.C., D.G. Overseer, of D.G. Mark, and D.G. Sojourner of D.G. Chapter, H.K. and South China.

REST NEEDED

It will be seen that Mr. Grimes has served in the Colony for over 26 years, and in his own words, "It is high time that I went home and had a little rest."

In the old days Mr. Grimes played cricket and bowls for the Craigengower Cricket Club, and was a member of the Council governing soccer here before the local body was affiliated to the Home body.

EDUCATION SOCIETY JOURNAL

Wide Range Of Articles

"Books speak plain," wrote Bacon, "and the Journal of the Hong Kong Education Society is most assuredly a plain-speaking book. Here are presented facts in full and generous measure, so generous indeed that the reader can find more than enough to assimilate in almost any one of the long list of articles contributed. The articles range widely in scope and interest, and both the learned and the lay mind will find in them matter of real and stimulating thought, for the authors number in their ranks many and distinguished names.

Such contributors as Professor L. Forster, Father G. Byrne, Mr. Lo Hung Chun, Father D. MacDonald, Mr. K. W. Salter, Miss R. Perry, Mr. Li Shi Yi have between them provided articles which cannot fail to interest even the most casual of readers.

It is pleasing to learn that the Education Society of the University continues on its good work of giving free education to some 70 poor children of the district and that, by generous contributions from friends, amounting to \$3800, together with generous help from the Government, it has been able to recondition a house opposite the University for its work. This, however, is only one activity of the Society.

The St. John Ambulance Association and Brigade advises that page 31, paragraph 3, of the St. John Ambulance Association and Brigade Annual Ball programme should read as follows:—Messrs. Glaxo Co. for donating operating instruments to the value of £30.

The Council for Military Affairs has wired to Chengtu to take drastic steps to increase the food production of the province this year by one third of its ordinary amount, and strictly to suppress poppy cultivation so that more land may be available for rice and other agricultural products.

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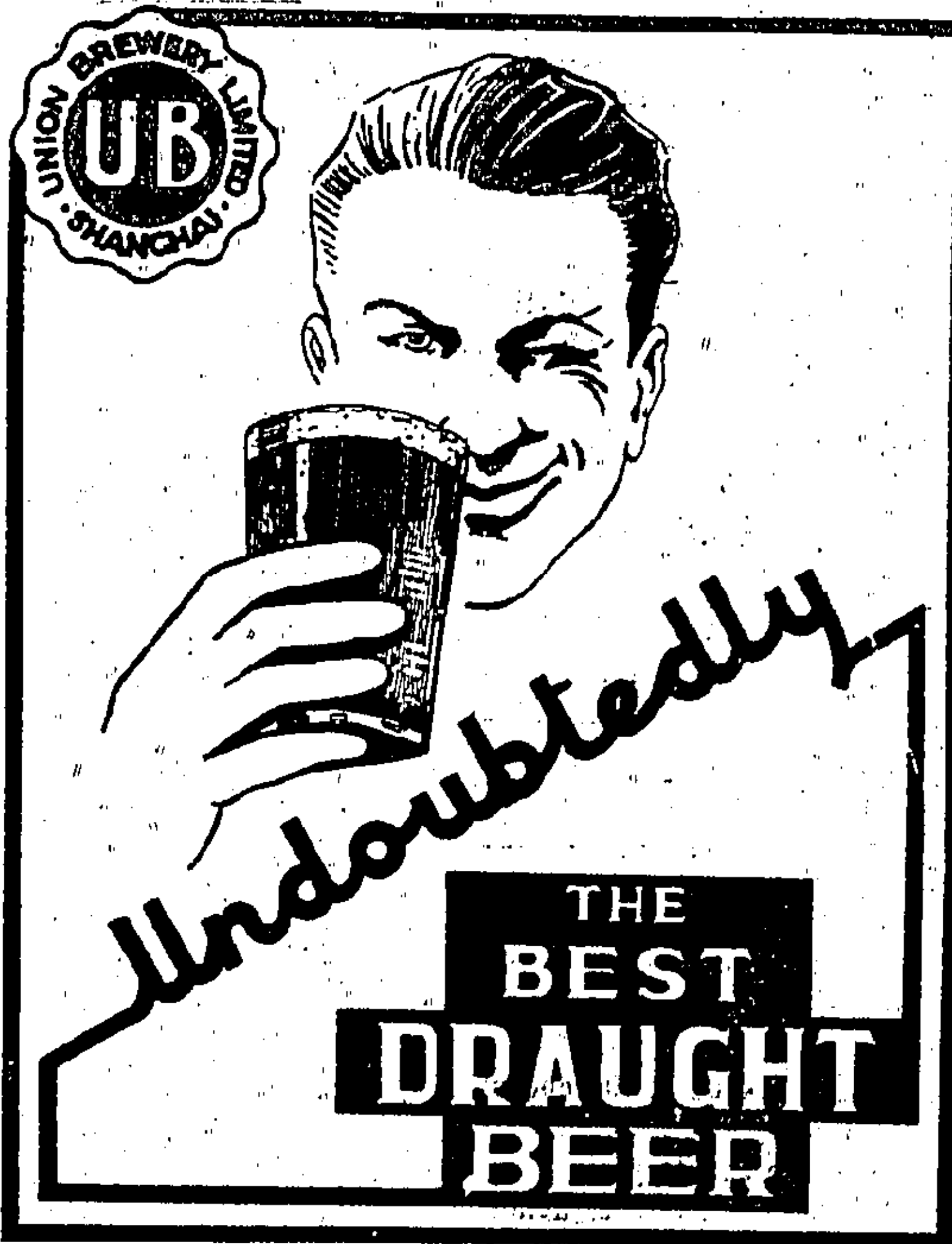
"It is true that in recent years the manufacturing industry in China has made progress," said Dr. Kotewall, "but even so such progress is comparatively small. In point of variety and quantity it is far short of the needs of the country: in point of quality, many of its productions are still behind those of its competitors. While it is the duty of the Government to encourage and protect industries, the ultimate success or otherwise of the industrial system of a country depends on the enterprise of the people themselves.

"The productions of the Chinese manufacturers in Hong Kong which are now on view at this Exhibition, prove conclusively that the Chinese are capable of producing goods that can compete successfully with foreign products. But the number of factories here and in China is small compared with the requirements of the people. Even in Hong Kong, which has several large factories, there is room for many more, added Dr. Kotewall.

"Outside Victoria City, in Kowloon and in the New Territories, there are vast tracts of land which are suitable for manufacturing purposes, and it is my hope that the people will avail themselves of the advantages which the Colony offers them by setting up more manufacturing here. Greater and speedier results in this direction could be achieved by close co-operation between the British and the Chinese. Just as such co-operation in the past has made the trade and commerce of Hong Kong what it is to-day, so will it develop to the same extent the manufacturing industry of the Colony," he said.

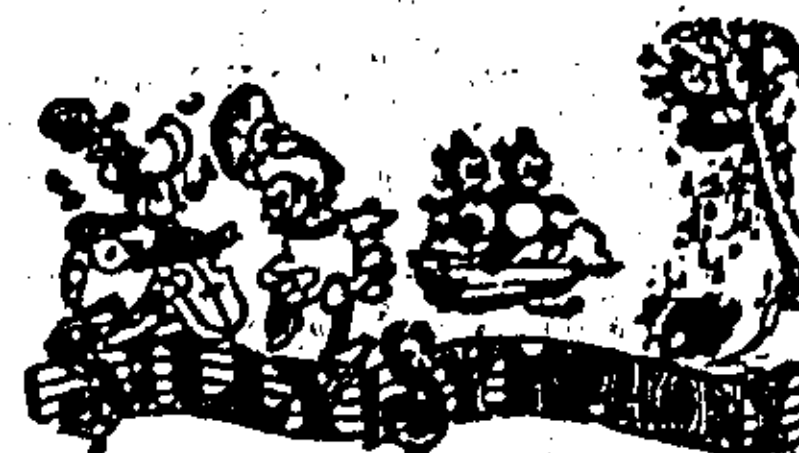
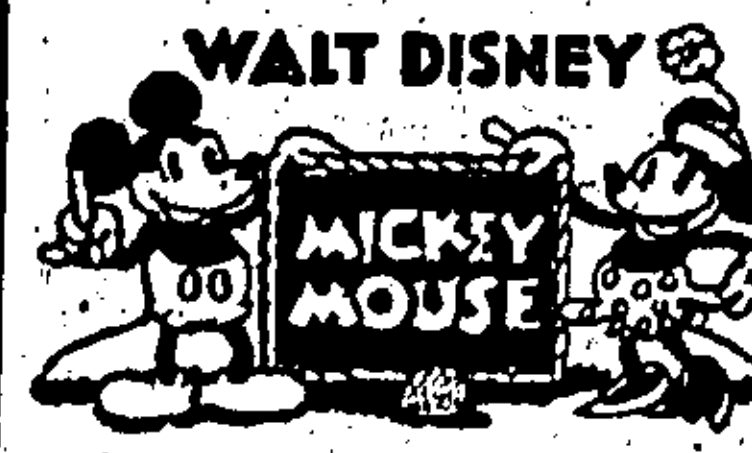
Dr. Kotewall concluded by wishing the Exhibition every success and Anglo-Chinese trade every prosperity.

Sponsored by the Y.M.C.A., Y.W.C.A. and the Chinese Manufacturers' Union, the Exhibition will remain open till Monday. Goods on display include place goods, rubber goods, electric appliances, shoes, hosiery, lacquer ware, writing inks, soaps, leather goods, cigarettes and countless other articles.



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7. Mickey's Elephant
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PERSISTENT THIEF GAOLED

Fined \$25 for theft only a few days ago, Suen Kam-wah, 21, unemployed, was brought before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy yesterday, this time charged with larceny of an electric fan from the Government Surveyor's Office on January 29.

He was given three months' hard labour.

Detective-Sergeant McVey prosecuted.

NO PASSPORT

Tiharam Chatni, aged 36, unemployed, appeared before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy yesterday on a charge of breach of the Passport Ordinance. An expulsion order was made against him.

The quarantine restrictions have been imposed by the Quarantine Officer-in-Charge, Amoy Quarantine Station, against arrivals from Hong Kong on account of Small-pox.

CABARET DANCE

The Cabaret Dance held by the Central British Association in the Rose Room of the Peninsula Hotel on Thursday evening was attended by approximately 200 people.

During the evening cabaret items were given, and were well received. Miss Joan Lakeman danced a Hoola-Hoola specialty number to "Blue Hawaii", Miss Margaret MacAlpine sang "I Hum a Waltz", "Swing Is Here to Stay" and also sang to Miss Lakeman's Hoola-Hoola number. Mr. W. Simpson gave a very much appreciated performance and was most ably accompanied by Mr. Spary at the piano.

These numbers were followed by a very professional exhibition of the "Big Apple" by Nellie Lee and Peter Randolph. The last number on the programme was a dance by Geoff Arnold to "Ain't She Sweet". Geoff danced with a doll attached to his feet and introduced her as "Cynthia."

Another outstanding feature of the evening was a "Cinderella" dance.

Everyone present seemed to have a marvellous time and it is hoped that another dance will be held early in March.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE

The Officer Commanding, 2nd Battalion The Royal Scots, will accept no responsibility for any debt incurred by Li Cheong, Officers' Mess Comptroller.

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INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPBUILDERS OF HONG KONG

A Paper entitled "THE WATERWAYS OF CHINA" Will be read in the rooms of the Institution by

Prof. C. A. Middleton Smith, Taikoo Professor of Engineering in the University of Hong Kong, on Tuesday, 8th February, at 6 p.m.

Chairman: B. D. Evans, Esq., F. R. A. S. His Excellency, The Governor, Hon. President of the Institution, has kindly consented to attend.

Members and their friends are cordially welcome.

W. F. SIMPSON, Hon. Secretary.

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BRITISH MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, TIENTSIN

VACANCY FOR ELECTRICAL ENGINEER No. 37/37.

Applications are invited from British subjects for the post of Electrical Engineer to take charge of the Electricity Department of the British Municipal Council, Tientsin.

The initial salary to be offered is Chinese Dollars 1,200.00 per month, (\$860 basic salary plus fifty per cent repatriation allowance).

Candidates must be either Associate Members or Members of the Institution of Electrical Engineers, and should be between 35 and 45 years of age. Candidates must have had sound technical training in Electrical Engineering, have held responsible posts in Municipal or Company's Electrical undertakings supplying both Alternating Current and Direct Current, and must have good administrative and organising ability with commercial experience.

The present capacity of the Council's Power Station is 7,000 K.W.

The successful candidate will be on probation for a period of six months. A four years' contract will be offered at the end of the probationary period if services prove satisfactory.

Applications giving age, details of education, whether married or single, training and experience accompanied by copies of testimonials should be addressed to the undersigned so as to reach Tientsin not later than February 15, 1938.

By Order,

H. F. BARNES,

Secretary & Engineer, COUNCIL ROOM, TIENTSIN, CHINA.

January 21, 1938.

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Course of nine public lectures on AIR RAID PRECAUTIONS.

Particular attention is invited to the following revised arrangements for the conclusion of this course.

Lecture No. 8, which was to be given on Monday, the 7th of February, 1938, is cancelled.

On that date the Medical Officer's house at the old Government Civil Hospital, which has been equipped as a model gas-proof and splinter-proof house, will be open to inspection by the public. A representative of the Royal Engineers will be in attendance at the house from 5.30 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.

The concluding lecture of the course will be given by Colonel N.M.S. Irwin, D.S.O., M.C., G.S.O.I., China Command, on Monday, the 14th of February, 1938, at 5.30 p.m. in the China Fleet Club Theatre. The subject of the lecture will be air raid precautions in general.

All lecturers who have taken part in this course will be in attendance on this occasion for the purpose of answering questions arising out of the previous lectures. Questions should be sent in writing to the Extra Assistant Colonial Secretary, Colonial Secretary's Office not later than Thursday, the 10th of February, 1938, but every endeavour will be made to deal with questions received after that date or sent up to the platform during the lecture.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FORTIETH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF THIS COMPANY will be held at the Office of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on Thursday, the 10th February, 1938, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1937.

The Register of Shares of the Company will be CLOSED from Thursday, the 3rd February, 1938, to Thursday, the 10th February, 1938, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors.

F. H. CRAPPELL, Secretary.

Hong Kong, 26th Jan., 1938.

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL

We have now removed to Gloucester Building, 2nd Floor.

THE MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

MORE FINE ACTING

BY PAUL MUNI

"Life Of Emile Zola"

Numbered among the outstanding dramatic scenes of screen history will be the trial of Emile Zola, the immortal French novelist, for writing his famous letter "I Accuse"—climax of the picture "Life Of Emile Zola" which opened at the Queen's Theatre last night.

Played by Paul Muni, the characterisation of Zola is equal to this fine actor's portrayal of Dr. Louis Pasteur, a performance which gained him the 1936 Motion Picture Academy's award.

A tribute to the efficient directing of William Dieterle and the excellent acting of the entire cast, from the opening shot, of Zola as a struggling and yet unrecognized author to the last scene where his body is lying in state, "Life Of Emile Zola" is a picture all should make a point of seeing.

Best shots are of Zola, having just received a cheque for 18,000 francs for his first successful book, returning to borrow a few francs in cash, high army officers in a dither when the treasonable letter, for which Captain Dreyfus is dismissed the service, is discovered, a sea of umbrellas outside the court house; a newsboy announcing Zola's flight to England.

HONG KONG'S AID FOR CHINESE SOLDIERS

Hankow, Feb. 4.

Large quantities of "comforts" for Chinese soldiers, donated by Chinese residents in Hong Kong, Kowloon and other overseas cities, will shortly be shipped here for transmission to the front. These "comforts" include 5,000 pieces of cotton padded blankets and jackets, forty cases of medical supplies, 6,000 kilograms of

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WAR OF PRINCIPLES

Daily the people of the world anxiously scan the columns of their newspapers to learn of the latest happenings in the Sino-Japanese hostilities.

For the casual reader his views of the war are built up on despatches telling of attack and counter-attack; stories of sacking, murder and rape by Japanese soldiers; news of outbursts by fire-eating Japanese militarists.

But to the thoughtful man, from all this welter of news there still arises the paramount fact that his conflict is not based solely on a question of rights and interests but is a battle of principles.

An examination of these principles will show clearly the points at issue between Japan and China.

On the part of China, the principles she holds are embodied in her insistence on independence, integrity, and freedom; co-operation with other nations on a basis of equality; and the observance of multi-lateral pacts and bi-lateral treaties.

On the other hand, the principles held by the Japanese are diametrically opposed to China's. Japan wants to exercise military, political and economic control over China; she wants China to follow whatever diplomatic course Japan wishes to take and to fight whatever other countries Japan may wish to fight; and she insists on the formation of a "China-Japan-Manchukuo Bloc," which means nothing less than the complete annexation of China's economic interests.

In short, Japan wishes to reduce China virtually to a Japanese colony or protectorate and it is with this end in view that she is endeavouring to tighten her grip on China and continually slices off portions of her territory.

Superficially this problem appears to be one between China and Japan only but actually it involves to a very great degree those third Powers having large financial interests in China.

Having made this point and stressed the fact that all the issues involved in the Sino-Japanese struggle boil down to a conflict of principles, the question is whether the third Powers can fail to recognise these principles and whether they are prepared to permit the undermining of China's independence without protest. Obviously, and happenings of the past few months bear this out, they cannot and will not.

When the Japanese recently started to set up the so-called provisional government, which we prefer to name temporary, the Japanese spokesman laid down the law, quite militantly, but he slurred very badly when it came to the question of nominating ambassadors and consuls to foreign countries. In doing so it is quite apparent that he was well aware that the third Powers would have a good deal to say to this, specially, as we have mentioned above, those having interests in China.

We can well picture the ambassador for the provisional government presenting his credentials at the Court of St. James. "Well," did we say. "Well, hardly!"

To revert to the present conflict and the question of principles, we would point out that although Japan may have gained some superficial advantages, China's policy corresponds to true democracy and so, in the end, she must succeed.

Branches of the Banks of China and Communications in Tsingtao were recently re-opened by the newly organized Economic Rehabilitation Committee. Depositors were allowed for the time being to withdraw funds to the extent of \$300 each.

medicinal cotton, all of which are now stored at Kowloon.

Twenty cases of medical supplies and 620 cases of clothing donated previously by overseas Chinese in Siam. It is understood, have been shipped to the front for distribution among the troops. (Central News).

If Gossip We Must

(BY "ELSPETH")

The annual Ball of the St. John Ambulance Association provided a gay finish to the Chinese New Year holidays. The attendance was so large that the whole of the first floor of the "Gipsies" had to be requisitioned.

The official party assembled for Cocktails in the Jacobean Room.

Mrs. Gerrard, the wife of the popular last President of the Association was looking very lovely in black, velvet. Lady MacGregor, a striking figure in Tartan taffeta was chatting with her usual vivacity to His Excellency the Governor.

I was enchanted with the soft pink ostrich feather cape with which Mrs. Bartholomew finished off her black toilette. Mrs. Langley, the active Secretary of the Association, wore a long white dress with the demure little black cape of the order, she was full of reminiscences of her interesting visit to the Coronation. Mrs. Dalzell, who is always delightfully soignée, was in printed satin. Mrs. Dicken in a striking shade of green was also in the official party. Mrs. Hole, who is always

so keenly interested in all good causes was looking her charming best in white. It is so nice to see her back again after her long leave.

I saw Mrs. Abbott dash past in the dance but beyond an impression of general chic I failed to register the details of her dress. Her pretty little daughter in an attractive Victorian frock trimmed with iridescent sequins, was busily selling programmes and raffle chances.

Miss Heather Gerrard looking enchantingly ethereal in white and silver brocade was also helping the good cause along. I noticed Miss Witchell dancing gracefully in a blue frock and Mrs. Arthur Wood was chatting to Mrs. Li Shu Fan who wore a lovely Chinese dress of a vivid shade of blue. Mrs. Irwin had chosen white, while Mrs. Blake, who always dresses cleverly, had a gay little coat in Spanish shawl colourings over her black dress.

I saw Miss Rosalie Alabaster looking very charming dancing happily with her fiancé. She goes on long leave with her parents by the Chitral on Saturday and will

be much missed.

Miss Buckley in "midnight blue" chiffon was dancing gaily and I saw Miss Scott Harston looking very lovely in white while Mrs. Taggart had made a happy choice of cerise, trimmed with blue. One of the drawbacks about floor shows at the Gipsies is that unless one is agile to the point of violence or enjoys the stature of Mr. Munro one can only hope for an interrupted view of the backs of one's fellow guests.

By amazing good fortune, and with neither of these qualifications, I managed to secure a front seat for Miss Reynolds's turn. She danced enchantingly and with a delightful absence of the amateur's usual affectations. She is a very clever performer and will be an enormous asset at charity shows.

I managed to glimpse flashes of Mr. and Mrs. Chen in their act which was also excellent, and I am told that the other turns were equally good. I tore myself away about 1.30 a.m. when the gaiety was still at its height. The whole party was delightful and I am full of admiration for its clever organizers.

FORTHCOMING A.D.C. PLAY

"French Without Tears"

NEW PLAYERS

For their second production of the current season the Amateur Dramatic Club has selected a play that is confidently expected to prove an extremely popular choice. This is the play that has kept London laughing since November 1936, and that is still drawing crowded houses to the Criterion Theatre—"French Without Tears."

The first play of a young and until now unknown playwright, it has proved one of the great successes of recent years, and its already long run of more than a year looks like continuing indefinitely. It has been played with great success in New York and a French version of it, under the title "L'Ecurie Watson" was first presented in Paris in July of last year and evoked enthusiastic praise from French critics.

Written throughout in the lightest vein, this three-act comedy is outstanding for its irresistibly amusing dialogue and its lighthearted atmosphere of youth and spontaneity. The scene is laid in a small seaside town on the South Coast of France and the action takes place in the Villa Miramar, where Monsieur Main-got endeavours with varying success to coach young men who aspire to the British Diplomatic Corps. His pupils include also a Naval Commander working for an interpreter and an irresponsible young man learning French for commercial reasons.

EFFECTIVE DISTRACTION

An effective distraction to serious study is provided by Diana, the sister of one of Monsieur's pensionnaires—a young lady, with a "gift" for making men fall for her.

The A. D. C. has been fortunate to get together an excellent cast for this production. Shellah MacKinlay, Fay Crossman, Donald MacAlister and E. G. Smith-Wright are already well known to local audiences. Those making a first appearance on the Hong Kong stage are Prudence Nell, H. C. Duncan, Peter Nicholson, Claude Burgess, Everard Harding and A. H. Delcourt. The last mentioned, who takes the part of Monsieur Main got has had much experience on the French stage.

The production is in the capable hands of Mr. E. G. Smith-Wright and will open at the China Fleet Club Theatre on Wednesday, February 23, at 9.15 p.m. and be repeated on the succeeding Thursday.

"French Without Tears" should be seen by all who enjoy a brilliantly clever comedy. Booking opens at Andersons Music Co., 81, Georges Building, Ice House Street, on Thursday February 10. Prices as usual are \$3, \$2 and \$1. All seats may be reserved and intending patrons are strongly advised to book early.

MALAYAN REVIEW

Land Expert In Malaya

"I may be in a position to say something more definite when I reach Singapore at the end of my tour" said Sir Frank A. Stockdale, agricultural adviser to the Secretary of State for the Colonies, in an interview with the Malaya Tribune at Penang. Sir Frank Stockdale arrived by the Comorin from London and was met by the Resident Councillor, the Hon. Mr. G. de-Mouray and the Director of Agriculture, S.S. and F.M.S., the Hon. Mr. O. T. Faulkner who specially came to conduct Sir Frank on a tour of the country.

Sir Frank said that from reports and figures it appeared to him that agriculture in Malaya had made great progress within the last few years but until he visited the country and saw things for himself he was afraid he could express no open views on any definite subject.

Sir Frank is first going to Kedah and will then work his way down through the various States to Singapore from where he will proceed to Java to study conditions there.

Carnegie Grants

"Malaya is very fortunate to receive grants from the Carnegie foundations to carry on the work and research in the archaeological field," stated Dr. Eduardo Quisumbing, Philippine Delegate to the Far Eastern Congress of Prehistorians, at a dinner given by the Singapore Filipino Association in his honour recently.

"In the Philippines, we know very little of past culture. This is a function of the Government to encourage and foster studies and research along this line, which vast authorities had no time to consider," he said.

"We have ancient people in the Philippines among the negroids which are still found inhabiting some hilly parts of the islands. We have the stone age, bronze age, and iron age, and according to many findings, we know we have the weaving age, the pottery age, metal industry and fishing industry," he added.

Now that the Philippine Commonwealth President, Mr. Manuel L. Quezon, is getting museum-minded, Dr. Quisumbing is very confident that necessary funds and impetus will be given. He further stated that the million pesos and a half administrative project for a new museum in Manila is almost a reality because, according to him, this fund will be incorporated in the public works fund which does not have to go through the Assembly for discussion and approval.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

His Excellency Mr. Hsu Shih-ying, Chinese Ambassador to Japan, who arrived in Hong Kong last week, left for Hankow yesterday by the Eurasia plane. Accompanying His Excellency were Mr. Hu Mai, Secretary of the Tokyo Embassy, Mr. Shao Yu-ling, Consul-General at Yokohama, and Mr. Sun Li-pu, Vice-Consul at Kobe.

Among the passengers who arrived yesterday from Shanghai by the s.s. Conte Rosso was Mr. T. M. Hsi, general manager of the Central Bank of China.

A very enjoyable cocktail party, which was attended by nearly 50 people, was given by Mr. H. A. Browning, of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, at his residence in Kennedy Road on Thursday evening. Mr. Browning is due to go on Home leave by the s.s. Tilawa on February 14.

Dr. Yen Fu-chen, who succeeds Dr. J. Heng Liu as Chinese Minister of Health, will leave for Hankow by plane on Monday.

Mr. C. J. Tacchi, of the Public Work Department, returned to the Colony by the s.s. Comorin on Thursday after a brief visit to Kuala Lumpur where his son, George, who is well-known in Hong Kong, has an appointment in the Education Department.

Many happy returns of the day to Dr. Ranjan M. Deb, malarialogist of the Medical Department, and Mr. K. S. Robertson, of the Public Works Department.

TRAVELLERS TELL OF CANTON EVENTS

Precautions Against Enemy Bombing

ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS FIRE ON INVADERS

"Purely precautionary measures against Japanese bombing," declared a European resident of Shamen, who arrived in Kowloon last night by the 6.15 p.m. train from Canton, and who was interviewed by a Daily Press representative at the station regarding the latest developments in the Kwangtung capital.

The visitor, who for obvious reasons prefers to remain anonymous, said that he did not come down because of the "tense situation," but because he had to make a routine business visit.

"I'll be going back again on Sunday," he said.

This late evening express brought about 200 passengers from Canton and one of them said he had tried to make the trip by the S.S. Talsan in the morning but as the river was closed, this was impossible.

"We left Canton at 8 a.m.," he explained, "but were asked to turn back soon after by a launch that was full of bullet holes."

"We saw two planes flying over Honan, at a height of about 1000 feet and they were somewhat lucky to get away from the anti-aircraft guns which kept barking incessantly. Then, on our way back to Canton, one plane flew very low over the ship, heading for Shek-pai."

MACHINE SHOT DOWN?

"This plane was followed by another bomber—a large one of the seaplane type—and we heard later that the third one from this group was shot down near Whampoa and fell into the river."

Continuing his story, he said the first air raid alarm yesterday was sounded at 6.55 a.m. and that the "all clear" was not given until the time the train left at 6.15 p.m.

In the meantime the Japanese planes were bombing the outskirts of Canton all day long although the city itself was not attacked.

"At 11 a.m., when we were on our way back to Canton, we heard sounds of gunfire very distinctly, coming from either Fong Chuen, Fan Tai or Honan, while the detonations, as the bombs hit the ground, shook even the portholes in the steamer."

"As a group of five planes flew past Honan at about 11.45 a.m., the anti-aircraft batteries opened fire on them. They were flying at a great height and were not hit at all," the passenger concluded.

HECTIC DAY

A Chinese woman, who was guarding her luggage in the station at Kowloon, regarded the writer with much suspicion when he approached her for her story of the day's activities in Canton but when he said that he was merely trying to get more complete information, she talked freely.

"It was an all-day affair," she said, "and from early morning till the time our train pulled out, the Japanese were at it incessantly. I cannot imagine what damage must have been done but strangely enough they left the city well alone."

NIGHT OF TENSION

Canton, Feb. 4. After a night of tension, due to the action of the military authorities in halting river shipping, the populace this morning witnessed the most spirited aerial activity for several weeks.

Shamen rooftops and windows were crowded with foreign spectators who repeatedly watched groups of Japanese planes cross the sky with anti-aircraft shells bursting on all sides. On one occasion a biplane daringly swooped within a few hundred feet of the ground, miraculously escaping the most intensive shell fire, but no bombs were dropped in the city.

A Chinese source states that one Japanese plane was brought down at Tungkwan. It is generally assumed that anticipation of the intensification of Japanese aerial activities in South China was the reason for yesterday's shipping notification, in which connection the most wild rumours were circulating in the city all night long.

Martial law continues and today all cars entering Canton were stopped and searched by soldiers. River steamers left at the usual time this morning, but, on reaching the barrier, were refused passage and all returned to Canton. A foreign gunboat stood by the barrier and communicated the news to Canton. (Reuter).

SPOKESMAN'S STATEMENT

In an exclusive interview with a Central News Agency representative this evening, a spokesman of the government emphatically denied the rumours which have been current in Canton during the last two days.

The wild reports that the Japanese were plotting to establish a puppet government in the south with the aid of bandits and traitors and were planning to attack Canton following a landing at Po On district and Bocca Tigris Forts, were branded by the spokesman as entirely without foundation.

"The people of Kwangtung," the spokesman emphasised, "love their country and will never stoop to the intrigues of the Japanese."

Po On and Bocca Tigris Forts, he pointed out, are well fortified to meet any emergency.

WILL SUPPORT POLICY

The spokesman continued: "The 35,000,000 people in Kwangtung province have been influenced by the teachings of Dr. Sun Yat-sen and the spirit of the revolution. As long as Japan refuses to reverse her policy of aggression in China and until China has fully recovered the entire territory now under Japanese occupation, the people will continue to support the policy of resistance under the leadership of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek."

"We will not capitulate to threats and are prepared to make the supreme sacrifice."

"The situation in Canton is quiet and the people remain calm. The Japanese intrigue to spread rumours merely exposes their foolish and weak points to the public." (Central News).

GUNBOATS BOTTLED UP

The British Naval Authorities in this Colony, after receiving advice from the West River Patrol, issued yesterday the following statement to shipping:

"The Chinese military are guarding the Beibingfield Barrier and will allow no ships to pass. River steamers which sailed this morning are returning to Canton. There have been considerable air activities since 8 a.m. H.M.S. Cicada is anchored one mile on the Canton side of the barrier."

The West River gunboat flotilla bottled up there comprises H.M. Ships Tarantula, Seaweed, Robin and Cicada.

A personal salute of 11 guns to the American Consul General was fired yesterday afternoon by the U.S.S. Tulsa, American patrol boat, when he was disembarking from the ship, after paying a formal call on Captain Stevens, Commander of the gunboat.

The Tulsa arrived here ten days ago from Amoy, where she was originally stationed. She came here to be refitted and will sail for Amoy on Monday, to continue her patrol duties.

FIVE MORE SHIPS FOR SHANGHAI

Tokyo, Feb. 4. Five additional ships will be placed by the Kawasaki Kisen Kaisha on the Japan-North China run before the end of the month, it is announced here.

Three ships ranging in displacement between 4,000 and 5,000 tons will link Japan with Tsingtao, while two other vessels will join the fleet of three steamers already plying between Japan and Tientsin. (Reuter).

Bombay, Feb. 4.

Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, the new British Ambassador to China, accompanied by Lady Clark Kerr, sailed this morning for Shanghai aboard the P. and O. steamer Kaiser-i-Hind. The ship is due to arrive at Hong Kong on February 17. (Reuter).

ANXIETY FOR HANKOW REFUGEES

Arrival Now Long Overdue

Anxiety was written on the faces of many foreigners who gathered at the terminus of the Kowloon-Canton Railway last night when they discovered that the train which arrived from Canton soon after 10 p.m. did not carry any of the Hankow refugees whose arrival is long overdue.

About 80 foreigners, mostly American schoolchildren, left Hankow by train on Tuesday. In the ordinary course of events, they should have arrived in Canton on Thursday evening. Up to a late hour last night, however, the railway authorities were unable to say whether the train had yet reached Kwangtung territory.

Amongst the passengers on the refugee train is Dr. J. W. Miller, the famous American missionary surgeon, who had been entrained for Canton in answer to urgent summons for his services. Friends of Dr. Miller said that the latter was to have performed some extremely important operations in Canton on Thursday.

Telegraphic information received in the Colony yesterday indicated that the Hankow-Canton line had been heavily bombed during the last few days and the track was damaged at four points. No news has yet come through, however, regarding the fate of the refugee train.

COTTON CONGRESS CONCLUDES

HUMIDITY QUESTION DEADLOCK

Egyptian Trade Stagnation

Alexandria, Feb. 4.

The International Cotton congress, at which 20 countries were represented, including a strong British delegation, concluded today.

The congress passed a resolution drawing attention to the American planters and ginners' years of "exceedingly damp deliveries," also to the question of false packing. The resolution added that the congress was most appreciative of the fact that the United States Secretary for Agriculture was investigating the matter.

The congress did not solve the deadlock arising from failure to agree on the humidity question. Spinners had decided to import only under the Silsmania 1936 resolution whereby the humidity standard remained at 8.5 per cent with 0.4 tolerance either way with provision that if it exceeds 8.9 per cent, the shipper shall pay back to 8.5 per cent. On the contrary exporters insisted on a 9 per cent basis with the tolerance, refusing to export under any other condition. The opinion is expressed that the deadlock may lead to a trial of strength of the exporters and spinners, and stagnation of the Egyptian cotton trade. (Reuter).

JAPANESE BOARD FISHING JUNK

A report to the effect that 12 Japanese sailors boarded fishing junk, 494HW while sailing off Nam Shan, Chinese Territory, was made by Leung Kau, master of the junk. Leung alleged that a Japanese warship sighted his junk as a result of which 12 sailors were sent on a motor-boat to the junk.

The sailors, after searching the junk, decamped with two old rifles and 200 rounds of ammunition, total value being \$150.

SCHOOLMASTER IN MISHAP

Mr. H.E. Beddow, of King's College, reported to the police that, while driving up Garden Road at 1.30 a.m. yesterday, his car collided into a tree as a result of which it turned over on its side. He sustained only minor injuries.

It appeared that Mr. Beddow was temporarily blinded by the lights of a down-coming car and turned too far on his own side of the road, striking a tree on the footpath.

DAVIS CUP TENNIS

Australia To Compete

Washington, Feb. 3.

Contrary to earlier reports, Australia has challenged for the Davis Cup in the 1938 competition. As was the case last year, she has challenged in the American Zone and has been drawn to meet Mexico, which practically ensures her to play Japan in the Zone Final.

The draw of the 1938 competition was made here today by Mr. Cordell Hull, the U.S. Secretary of State.

Twenty-five countries have challenged for the trophy, now held by the United States.

Great Britain, which relinquished the Cup to the Americans last year, has been drawn against Rumania in the first round of the European Zone.

The following is the result of the draw:

EUROPEAN ZONE (First Round)

France v Netherlands
Poland v Denmark
Ireland v Italy
Czechoslovakia v Yugoslavia
Britain v Rumania

EYES INTO SECOND ROUND

Top Half.—Germany v Norway; Hungary v New Zealand; and Monaco, who will meet the winner of the France v Netherlands tie.
Bottom Half.—Sweden v Switzerland; Greece v Belgium; and Austria v India.

AMERICAN ZONE (First Round)

Japan v Canada
Mexico v Australia

(Reuter)

(Until quite recently, some of the leading Australian players were against the country's entry this year because they felt that they needed a rest from the continuous tennis which they had been playing. Evidently, the success of Adrian Quist and John Bromwich in the doubles—they won the Australian championship against Don Budge and Gene Mako (United States) and Baron Gottfried von Cramm and Henner Henkel (Germany)—and the fine form shown by the singles players, particularly Bromwich, are factors which have swung the scales in favour of participation.)

FARR TO MEET MAX BAER

New York, Feb. 4.

Tommy Farr has agreed to fight Max Baer at Madison Square Garden, New York on March 11 over 15 rounds. The promoter has promised that the winner will later meet the winner of the Schmeling-Louis fight for the world title. (Reuter Bulletin).

FOORD v. DOYLE

Ben Foord will fight Jack Doyle in the Wembley arena probable in the middle of March. (Transocean).

ANOTHER BRITISH SHIP SUNK

London, Feb. 4.

The British ship Alcira has been torpedoed and sunk off Barcelona. The crew are being landed.

The Alcira was bombed and sunk by two insurgent aeroplanes, according to the Ministry for Defence.

The Alcira sank immediately. The crew of twenty-five, all British, were rescued. (Reuter)

LADIES' GOLF

Competition Results

Captain's Cup, January.—Old Course; Mrs. Whyte-Smith 98-17-81; New Course; Mrs. R. D. Walker 100-31-69 (qualifies on last 9 holes); Mrs. R. Young 103-34-69; Mrs. Woodward 98-29-69; Mrs. Kay 93-23-70; Mrs. Forsyth 101-30-71; Mrs. Hillier 87-14-73.

L.G.U. Medal, January 11.—Silver; Mrs. Redmond 97-17-80; Bronze; Mrs. Collins 98-30-68; Mrs. Greaves 105-36-69; Mrs. Sommerfelt 91-19-72; Mrs. A. B. Thomson 97-25-72.

Bogey Pool, New Course.—Mrs. Hillier, all squares. There were 99 entries.

Happy Valley Medal played on the shortened course.—Mrs. E. W. Clark 87-35-62; Mrs. Murdoch 83-27-56; Mrs. Tuck 83-33-60; Mrs. A. Mackie 81-19-62. There were 24 entries.

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FANLING RACE ENTRIES

China New Year Meeting

The following are the weights and entries for the China New Year Meeting of the Fanling Hunt and Race Club to be held at Kwant on Sunday, February 13:—

"The Lo Wu Handicap"—A Steeplechase of 14 miles for China Ponies. Winners of a steeplechase this season barred. Winner a Cup or \$50; 2nd \$25; 3rd \$15. Entry Fee \$3.

Araxy 153, Ascot 143, Chishan 161, Double Chance 152, Ebony Idol 165, King's Worthy 161, Nebular Star 145, Pinkie 152, Pride of Tsingtao 153, Widnes 153.

"The Australian Country Cup"—Over the Country Course finishing on the Race Course. For Australian Ponies. Winners at Kwant this season barred. Catchweight 160 lbs. Winner a Cup or \$50; 2nd \$25; 3rd \$15. Entry Fee \$3.

Beauty, Cherokee, Fairy, Flummary, Hercules, Juliette, Kiola, Saltire, Spark Plug, Strathcarroll.

"The Grand Military Handicap and Sassoon Cup"—11 miles. A hurdle race for China Ponies, Government Chargers, or the property of an Officer on the Active List of H. M. Forces or a member of the Machine Gun Troop of the H. K. V. D. C. To be ridden by those qualified to enter. Winner the Sassoon Cup, to remain the property of the winner for one year, with replica presented; 2nd \$25; 3rd \$15. Entry Fee \$3.

Cloudy Eve 150, Double Chance 153, Estover 168, Jock Scott 153, King's Parade 158, Mortmain 155, Mountain View 153, Public Hero No. 1 150, Zero 155.

"The Jorrock's Plate"—A hurdle race of 11 miles for China Ponies, bona fide Hunters. Winners of any race at Kwant this season and ponies placed in the Hunters' Hurdle Race barred. Catchweight 168 lbs. Winner a Cup or \$25; 3rd \$15. Entry Fee \$3.

Ballyho, Canary Cloudy Eve, Clowner, Darien, Double Chance, Gobl Morn, Herga, Jack O'Lantern, Jock Scott, Magnolia, Nebular Star, Penny Farthing, Public Hero No. 1, Racing Strain, Riecland, Siamese Cat, The Cheetah, The Minx, The Roundhead, Three Farthings.

"The Polo 'Scurry'—3 furlongs for China Ponies bona fide Polo Ponies. Winners at Kwant this season barred. To be ridden by members of the Hong Kong Polo Club. Catchweight 168 lbs. Winner a cup or \$50; 2nd \$25; 3rd \$15; Entry Fee \$3.

Festival Eve, Feltar, Heriot, March Brown, Siamese Cat, That's That, The Minx.

"The Ladies' Race"—A flat race of 1 mile for China Ponies that have started at this Meeting and not been placed First or Second. To be ridden by ladies. Catchweight 140 lbs. Winner a cup or \$50; 2nd \$25; 3rd \$15. Post Entries, Entry Fee \$3.



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FANLING GOLF

Starting Times For Sunday

OLD COURSE

9.12 a.m. K. K. Rounds and W. Hewitt.

9.16 J. E. Jupp and J. H. M. Andrew.

9.20 F. A. Redmond and I. P. Tamworth.

9.24 D. S. Robb and D. Forbes.

9.28 A. Murdoch and H. C. Margaret.

9.32 W. H. Way and F. A. M. Elliott.

9.36 C. W. E. Bishop and W. Woodward.

9.40 D. J. Gilmore and K. S. Morrison.

9.44 A. Sommerfelt and I. H. Geare.

9.48 A. D. Humphreys and G. Castle.

9.52 W. A. Stewart and W. Sharp.

9.56 T. E. Pearce and H. S. Hills.

10.00 J. R. Collis and R. Stock.

10.04 L. Goldman and W. C. Farnham.

10.08 F. Groves and J. Stenersen.

10.12 Capt. Holmes and G. H. Henry.

10.16 D. Lyon and K. R. Quick.

10.20 W. J. S. Rey and A. B. Purves.

10.24 T. Lindars and E. L. Groom.

10.28 R. G. Johnson and Cdr. Hole.

10.32 H. Overy and W. J. E. Mackenzie.

10.36 W. G. Robertson and A. V. Greaves.

10.40 Col. Blake and D. W. MacEwen.

10.44 A. W. Hodges and S. C. Feltham.

10.48 A. M. Mack and J. B. H. Leckie.

10.52 J. L. C. Pearce and J. B. Dunnett.

NEW COURSE

9.16 a.m. A. Morse and S. H. Dodwell.

9.20 P. H. Scoones and R. K. Valentine.

9.28 O. J. Shannon and H. H. Mundy.

9.32 R. E. H. Nelson and A. C. I. Bowker.

9.40 G. C. Worrall and L. M. S. Lloyd.

9.44 A. Brosted and B. Rolfe.

9.52 Mrs. Humphreys and Mrs. Castle.

10.00 Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Sharp.

LEAGUE SOCCER FIXTURES

Matches For The Week-end

The following are the League football fixtures for the week-end:

TODAY

Senior Shield (First Round Replay) Kowloon v. St. Joseph's (Kowloon, 4.15 p.m.)
Referee:—Smyth.
Linesmen:—Sutterley and Somerville.

First Division

Seaforts v. Club (Sookunpo, 4.15 p.m.)
Referee:—Ottoway.
Linesmen:—Whittle and Purnell.
Eastern v. Middlesex (Causeway Bay, 4.15 p.m.)
Referee:—Day.
Linesmen:—Wyper and Savage.

Police v. Kowloon Chinese (Caroline Hill, 4.15 p.m.)
Referee:—Goss.
Linesmen:—Godfrey and McGrew.

Second Division

Seaforts v. Engineers (C) (Sookunpo, 2.45 p.m.)
Referee:—Farr.
Police v. Kowloon (St. Joseph's, 2.45 p.m.)
Referee:—Gomes.
Club v. 5th A.A. Bde. R.A. (Military, 4.15 p.m.)
Referee:—Jones.

Engineers (E) v. Middlesex (Military, 2.45 p.m.)
Referee:—Aldridge.
South China v. Kwong Wah (Caroline Hill, 2.45 p.m.)
Referee:—Rees.

Third Division

R.A.S.C. v. 5th A.A. Bde. R.A. (Causeway Bay, 2.45 p.m.)
Referee:—Barretto.

TOMORROW

Corinthians Trial Game Football Association v. South China (Club, 3.45 p.m.)
Referee:—MacCormac.
Linesmen:—Dove and Johns.

Junior Shield Police v. University (Club, 2.15 p.m.)
Referee:—Youngs.

10.08 Mrs. Selby and Mrs. Goldman.

10.16 Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Henry.

10.24 T. Low and H. N. Williamson.

10.36 Mrs. Overy and Mrs. Mackenzie.

POINTERS FOR ANNUAL RACE MEETING

Subscription Griffins Are Showing Up Well

PONIES WORTH FOLLOWING

BY "LAST QUARTER"

Since the publication of my last article much has happened at the Valley that should be of interest and may prove beneficial to racing enthusiasts in connection with their selection of winners at the forthcoming Annual Race Meeting. The work-outs on the cinder track have been on the fast side and many a stable put their candidates to severe tests with a view towards ascertaining their capabilities. In this article I will endeavour to give readers a resume of the ponies in the different classes and their best performances to date.

Added interest has been noted on account of the early arrival of several Shanghai jockeys to do service for the larger stables. Mr. C. Encarnacao will don the crimson of Mr. and Mrs. Eu Tong Sen while Mr. J. Pote-Bunt will take charge of the "Time" stable owned by Mr. Li Po Chun. The Dynasty interests will be in the hands of Mr. V. V. Needa, who has ridden several Derby winners on the local course the past years. Mr. Marshall has been booked by the "Eve" stable, while I understand amongst impending arrivals will be Mr. H. Matland for the Dunbar string, Mr. T. L. Wong for Mr. Li Lan Sang and Mr. D. S. Li for Messrs. Kong Bros.

It has also been rumoured that several other well-known Northern riders will be visiting the Colony on business and pleasure trips and may also participate.

Griffin Races

Chief interest in these races is naturally focussed on the Hong Kong Derby and although it is yet

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

SPORTS CLUB

NOTICE TO MEMBERS

Selling Lotteries will be held at the Club on:
SATURDAY,
12th February, at 5.30 p.m.
MONDAY,
14th February, at 5.30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY,
16th February, at 5.30 p.m.
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Hong Kong, 5th Feb., 1938.

MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

The February Race Meeting will be held at Areia Preta, Macao, on Sunday, 6th February, 1938, commencing at 2:00 p.m.
The first Bell will be rung at 1:30 p.m.

By order,
S. W. CHENG,
Secretary.

EXHIBITION MATCHES

Saturday, 19.2.38
Corinthians vs. S.C.A.A.
Sunday, 20.2.38
Corinthians vs. United Services
Saturday, 26.2.38
Corinthians vs. Civilians.
Sunday, 27.2.38
Corinthians vs. All Hong Kong.
All the matches will be played at Caroline Hill, commencing each day at 4.00 p.m.
Prices of admission to reserved seats:
First and Last Match: Covered Stand and Pavilion \$3.00.
Uncovered Stand \$2.20.
Second and Third Match: Covered Stand and Pavilion \$2.20. Uncovered Stand \$1.50.
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Football

ROYAL SCOTS. MAKE DEBUT

Close Game With The Navy

The football team of the Royal Scots Regiment made its debut yesterday with a match against the Royal Navy at Causeway Bay, and, after a close game, the Regiment won by the only goal scored. Several of the military side showed good form, particularly Fraser, at left-back, his namesake at centre-half, and Hossack at centre-forward.

The latter in particular played a very good game of football, and, had he had more of the ball, might have got more than one goal.

The teams were—
Royal Scots.—Duncan, Mitchell, Fraser, Proctor, Fraser, Clarke, Munro, Fleming, Hossack, Gordon, and Gilroy.

Royal Navy.—Church, Lethbridge, Kew, Perkins, Blair, Ferris, Rowe, Finnie, Glover, Cooke, and Foreman.

OVER 110,000 TICKETS SOLD

Over 110,000 tickets in the Hong Kong Jockey Club's \$1 Derby Sweepstake have been sold. There has been a great demand for tickets during the past week, an average sale of about 10,000 tickets having been registered during the past two days.

By far one of the biggest purchasers is an elderly Chinese gentleman who personally went to the Jockey Club's offices a few days ago and bought a block of 1,000 tickets.

The sweep is unlimited, and the sale is expected to exceed the 200,000 mark before Derby Day.

Hockey

TOMORROW'S BIG GAME

Civilians To Meet Combined Team

The following will represent the Civilians against the Army and Air Force to-morrow at 4 p.m. on the Club Ground. White shirts will be worn.

Chan Kam-fui (Police); A. E. P. Guest (Radio) and Hayward (Police); Brown (Police), Hassan (Radio) and Malik (K.I.T.C.); Teja Singh (Police), G. Singh (Radio), Pyara Singh (K.I.T.C.), Pinto (K.I.T.C.), and A. P. Souza (K.I.T.C.).
Reserves, Mehar Singh (Police), A. N. Other.

ARMY AND AIR FORCE

The Army and Air Force will be represented by—
Cpl. Dobson (Engineers); Fl. Lt. Wallace (R.A.F.), Pte. Grogan (Middlesex); L/Cpl. Ray (Engineers), L/Nk. Gulam Rasul (Rajputs), A. N. Other (Seaforth); Khuda Bux (H.K.S.A.), Lt. Sawal Khan (Rajputs), Lt. Pritam Nath (Rajputs), Lt. Chatter (Middlesex), Rfm. Parthaub (Kumaons).
Reserves: One from the Rajputana Rifles and one from the Kumaon Rifles.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

There will be two games of Rugby Football on the Club ground at Happy Valley today. Commencing at 3 p.m. a Club side will play H.M.S. "Cumberland." This match will be followed at 4.15 p.m. by a game between the Army and the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps.

The Club and Volunteer sides have been selected as follows—

Club:—G. Low, H. van Leeuwen, M. W. MacGrath, E. M. Watts, H. F. Hopkins, C. W. Lyle, R. Rutherford, K. H. G. White, K. A. Watson (Captain), A. W. Holden, E. C. Luscombe, A. S. Olsen, H. W. E. Heath, A. J. G. Taylor and J. K. Birt.

Volunteers:—J. R. Henderson, L. Lammert, W. E. Grieve, F. Cessford, M. G. Carruthers, A. H. R. Butcher, J. L. Bonnar, R. Leigh, W. E. Peers, J. E. Dunnett, A. G. Dalziel, B. Hynes, J. Redman, R. G. L. Oliphant and J. C. Miller (Captain).

Hunting.—Fanning Meet (Ta Ku Lin Police Station), 2.45 p.m.
Rugby.—Club "A" v. an Army XV. Shooting.—Spoon and Practice Shoots (Kowloon City Ranges), 2 p.m.

MACAO RACE MEETING

Good Sport Promised

BY "LAST QUARTER"

The Macao Jockey Club opens their 1938 racing season tomorrow when the February Race Meeting will be held at the Areia Preta course. The card consists of six events and there is every probability that some of the Shanghai better known jockeys now in the Colony may be induced to make the trip, if only to renew acquaintances with former mounts as all the Macao subs are old Shanghai ponies. Given fair weather there should be a large attendance and attractive dividends a feature at the last few meetings.

The opening event over six furlongs is for Macao subs that have not earned more than \$300 in stakes money since January 1937, and on paper Hohenfels should be very near. Coureur Bleu should not be despised and Fairy Auk although rather heavily weighted may bring home the honours as this pony ran exceptionally well at the last meeting.

THE GOOD LUCK HANDICAP

This race would have been an easy one for Rothesay Bay but for a mishap to the pony in training at the beginning of the year and I doubt very much if this game racer, if started, can be anywhere near at the finish. As it is now, the race should be fought out between Fairy Ousel and Merry Maker. I am inclined to favour the latter, but to those looking for better returns on the pari-mutuel I would recommend Hopefulleg.

THE SHEUNG YUEN HANDICAP

The three best ponies in this event are undoubtedly Gold Sovereign, Copper Idol and Mac's Adventure. The latter is in excellent condition at the moment and I have been quite impressed with his gallops recently. I believe the race will develop into a struggle between Gold Sovereign and Mac's Adventure with Copper Idol occupying the third place.

THE VICTORY HANDICAP

This is the classic of the day and on which the Macao Race Club is conducting the Special \$1, Cash Sweep. Shanghai 4, a champion on this course, is so much over and above the rest of the Macao subs that I really cannot see any other starter getting home first. Victory Life, Meadow Eve and Shih Yin Grand can be expected to offer some sort of opposition but not sufficiently to cause an upset. I am of the opinion that Shih Yin Grand and Meadow Eve will fill the two minor positions.

THE GOOD HEALTH HANDICAP

Gold Coin is the pick of the entries here and should carry off the large end of the prize if sent over to the Portuguese Colony. National Spirit is very fast but will find the mile just a little beyond his endurance and Voltaire is also in the same category. However, these two ponies should be able to place.

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LADIES' SPRINT

Often the most difficult race to forecast, this event is over half a mile and confined to Macao subs that have previously started and not won in the course of the afternoon. The placed ponies with good lady jockeys up would appear the logical ones to place a small bet on.

NORTHAMPTON DRAWS WITH PALACE

London, Feb. 3.
In the Southern Section of the Third Division in the English Football League, Northampton, playing at home, drew with Crystal Palace today, each side scoring once.—(Reuter).

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PARADES

1st. Battery

A Section: February 10 6 p.m. Belchers.

There will be no parade on February 17.

Camp at Pakshawan. February 13-20. Launch will leave Kowloon at 5.35 p.m. and Queen's Pier at 5.45 p.m.

L. Section: February 11 5.45 p.m. Belchers.

There will be no parade on February 18.

Camp at Pakshawan. February 25-27. Details later.

Signal Section: February 11 5.45 p.m. Belchers.

There will be no parade on February 18.

A Section Signallers will go to Pakshawan Camp on February 18-20, and L. Section Signallers on February 25-27. Details as above.

2nd. Battery

February 9, 5.30 p.m. H.M.S. Tamar. Lecture—Gun control.

Engineer Company.

February 7, 5.30 p.m. H.Q. L.G. Instruction. Course 1. Lesson 6 and 7.

February 10, 5.30 p.m. R.E. Instructional Shed. Ruston Hornsby Instruction.

Members are reminded of the forthcoming camp during the week-end February 18-20.

Corps Signals.

February 8, 5.30 p.m. H.Q. Machine Gun Troop

February 8, 5.15 p.m. Kennedy Road Range. Machine Gun Course Part I.

Armoured Car Section

February 8, 5.10 p.m. H.Q. Revolver practice. Kennedy Road Range.

February 5.30 p.m. H.Q. Cinema lecture—"Defence of a Village."

Motor Machine Gun Platoon

Same as for Armoured Car Section above.

No. 1 (M.G.) Company

February 6, 9 a.m. Musketry. Peak Range. Range Officer—Lt. L. B. Holmes.

February 11, 5.30 p.m. H. Q.

No. 2 (M. G.) Company

February 5.30 p.m. H. Q. Instruction.

All gas masks must be returned to Company stores immediately.

No. 3 (M. G.) Company

February 6. Those detailed in Company circular 6/1/38 will fire Rifle Table "B" at Stonecutters.

Launch will leave Queen's Pier at 8.15 a.m. and Police Pier, Kowloon, at 8.30 a.m. Rifles and equipment must be drawn before 12 noon, Saturday 5. Dress—optional.

Range Officer to be detailed by O. C. Company.

February 7, 5.30 p.m. H. Q. M. G. Instruction—S & A. Gun and Lock.

February 10, 5.30 p.m. H. Q. M. G. Instruction—Class A—Mechanism.

Class B—Care and Cleaning.

No. 4 (M. G.) Company.

February 9, 5.30 p.m. H. Q. Drill.

February 11, 5.30 p.m. H. Q. M. G. Instruction.

Portuguese Companies

February 13: Musketry (Both Companies) Firing at Stonecutters.

Table "B" Range Officer—Lt. H. A. de B. Botelho. All men who have not completed Table "B" or who have not yet fired should attend.

Launch leaves Queen's Pier at 8.20 a.m. and Kowloon Pier at 8.30 a.m. Firing commences at 9 a.m. If time permits Lewis Gun tests will also be fired by members of A. A. Company who have not yet fired.

A. A. Company: Sleeve Shooting on February 20. Parade at H. Q. at 8.30 a.m. All members of A. A. Company are requested to keep this date free.

Companies' Annual Shoot: Members of Portuguese Company are reminded that the Companies' Annual Shoot will be held on February 27. Those who are competing in any of the events are requested to send in their entrance form as soon as possible. Details have already been issued.

February 8, 5.30 p.m. H. Q.

No. 5 (H. G.) Company: Class 1 and 2—Mechanism, Class 3 and Recruits—1 A.

A. A. Company: Lewis Gun training.

All Categories—Recapitulation of 1 A. Stoppages.

Reminder: Competition on 1 A. Stoppages will take place at H. Q. commencing February 15.

Class 1—For all Officers and N.C.O.s.

Class 2—For Other Ranks.

There will be 3 prizes for each class.

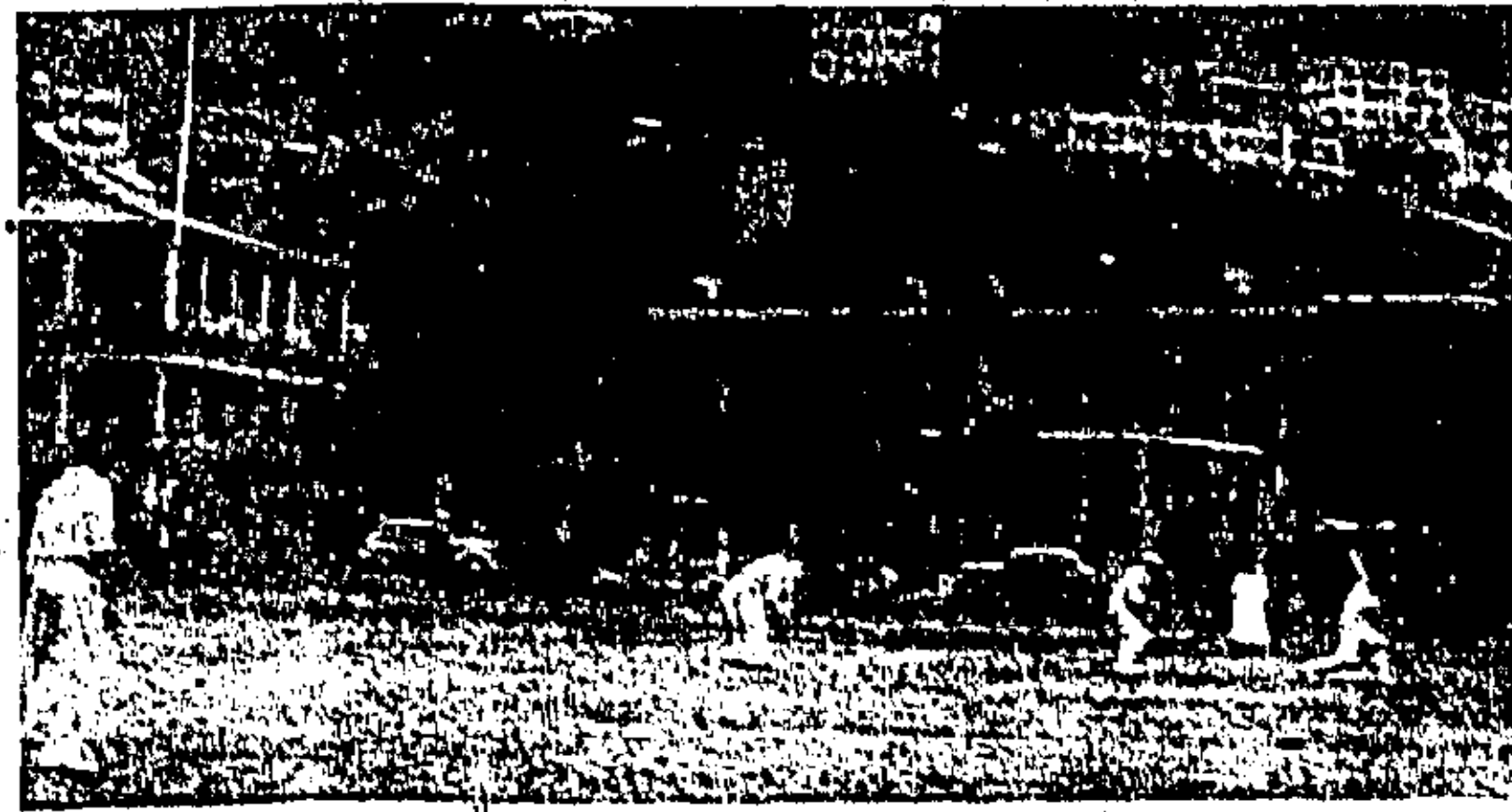
Machine Gun Signals.

February 7. Sub-section D. H. Q. at 5.15 p.m.

Class A—Arms Drill. Class B—D/R. work.

February 9. Sub-section A. D. Riding Tests.

February 11. Sub-Sections A. &



The Hong Kong C. C. fielding in their cricket match against the United Services during the holidays. In the extreme right foreground is R.D. Allen. (Cheng Studio).

THE DICKENS HOUSE

The Dickens House, 48 Doughty Street, W.C.1, has been redecorated and its contents have been re-arranged. The ceremony of re-opening was performed by Lady Dickens, widow of Sir Henry Dickens's youngest son.

One of the new exhibits is Dickens's tenancy agreement, which has enabled the Trustees to know more exactly how the rooms were allotted and to make a more harmonious arrangement of exhibits. It is now known in which room Mary Hogarth died, and in which room Dickens completed "Pickwick Papers" and wrote, in its entirety, "Nicholas Nickleby."

Dickens's tenancy dated from March, 1837, and the first anniversary of his marriage was celebrated in Doughty Street a few days after he had moved in with his wife and their first child. In December, 1839, the family removed to 1 Devonshire Terrace, Regent's Park.

B. H. Q. at 5.15 p.m. Signal training.

Army Service Corps Company

February 10. Lewis gun instruction at R.A.S.C. Camber at 5.30 p.m.

Pay Section

February 11, 5.30 p.m. H.Q. Railway Operating Detachment

Cadre (Contn. Sec.)

February 10: Parade at H.K. at 5.30 p.m. Lecture: Calculation of charges.

PROMOTION & APPOINTMENTS

Sgm. V. C. Labrum, M.G. Signals, is promoted Col-Sgt. and appointed C.Q.M.S., 4238.

Sgm. T. S. D. Whitley, M.G. Signals, is appointed L/Cpl., 4238.

TRANSFER

Spr. V. C. Labrum from Engineer Company to M.G. Signals, 4238.

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Pte. Henry H. M. Kwok, 20, School St., Causeway Bay—No. 3 (M.G.) Coy., 3238.

S. F. HEDGCOE, Capt., Adjutant, H.K.V.D.C.

NOTICES

Sergeants' Mess Annual Dinner

The list for attendance at the Mess Dinner on the 12th instant will close at noon to-morrow 5th instant after which no application can be considered.

Presentation to Capt. H. Westlake, M.B.E., D.C.M.

A cocktail party for members and past members of the Corps will be held at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 15 to make a farewell presentation to Captain Westlake from all ranks. Unit Commanders are requested to make a point of circulating all ranks so that the Corps will be fully represented.

Corps Rifle Meeting

The Corps Rifle Meeting will be held on Kowloon Ranges on Sunday, April 24.

Cricket

Volunteer v. Royal Navy at King's Park on Sunday, February 13 at 11.45 a.m.—H. Owen Hughes (Capt.), R. M. King, A. E. Perry, A. A. Dand, D. J. N. Anderson, R. H. Griffiths, E. C. Fincher, T. A. Madar, W. L. McKenzie, W. S. Stoker, K. A. Munro.

Rugby Football

H.K.V.D.C. v. The Army, Hong Kong Football Club, Happy Valley on Saturday, February 5 at 4.15 p.m.

J. R. Henderson; L. Lammert, W. E. Grive, F. Cessford, M. G. Caruthers; A. H. R. Butcher, J. L. S. Dalziel, B. Hynes, J. Redman, R. Bonnar; H. Leigh, W. E. Peers, J. G. L. Olliphant, J. C. Miller (Capt.), Referee—Dr. J. A. R. Selby.

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Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

Lecture.—The next lecture will be held on Monday, February 7 at the P.W.D. Offices at 5.30 p.m.

Strength-Increase.—24138: Mrs. M. Bishop, Miss K. J. Archer, Miss M. Barretto.

Strength-Decrease.—4238: Mrs. F. Owen-Hughes, Mrs. D. M. Kidd, Miss M. I. Tyrrell.

(Sgd.) MRS. E. M. BEGG, Commandant.

Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

GATHERING OF THE GORDONS

A new organisation to bring together past and present officers of the Gordon Highlanders is being formed and will be inaugurated at Redford Barracks, Edinburgh, to-day.

There are excellent reasons for both the place and the date writes a special correspondent of the "Evening Standard." The 1st Battalion is stationed at Redford and Lieutenant-colonel J. M. Hamilton, the commanding officer, has provided not only accommodation in the barracks, but the services of the band and pipers.

February 5 is the date of the Rugby International at Murrayfield, between Scotland and Wales, and "it is felt that many old and serving officers will be in Edinburgh on that day."

There is one serving officer who certainly will be. He is Major C. M. Usher, tall, dark, powerfully built, and one of the best forwards Scotland ever had. He has 18 "caps" and shares with a very few others the distinction of having played in Rugby International matches both before and after the war. He is in the 1st Gordons and is one of the chief sponsors of the reunion.

The number of enemy troops stationed at Taiyuan, Yutzu, Taku, Chaochen and other districts in north Shansi is estimated at 5,000 men most of whom are Koreans and Manchurians according to a message from Linfen.



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Buyers	Sellers	Prices	Volume	FRIDAY, FEB. 4.	Buyers	Sellers	Prices	Volume
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LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(British Wireless Service)

	Jan. 29	Feb. 2
Paris	152 1/2	152-25/32
Geneva	21 5/8	21 5/8
Berlin	12 4 1/2	12 4 1/2
Athens	...	...
Milan	95 1/2	95 1/2
Copenhagen	...	...
Stockholm	...	...
Shanghai	...	...
New York	5.00-11/16	5.00 1/2
Amsterdam	8.96 1/2	8.96 1/2
Vienna	...	...
Prague	142 1/2	142 1/2
Helsingfors	...	...
Lisbon	...	...
Hong Kong	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Montreal	5.00-11/16	5.00 1/2
Brussels	29 5/8	29 5/8
Yokohama	...	...
Belgrade	...	...
Monte Video	...	...
Bucharest	...	...
Rio	...	...
Silver (Forward)	19 1/2	2-27/32
Silver (Spot)	20 1/2	20-3/16
War Loan	...	3 1/2 10 1/2

Closing Quotations

February 4, 1938

ON LONDON:—	ON NEW YORK:—
Telegraphic Transfer...	Bank Bills, on demand 31
Bank Bills, on demand 1 1/2	Credits, 60 days' sight 3 1/2
On demand 1 1/2	On demand 5 1/2
ON SHANGHAI:—	ON PARIS:—
On demand 10 1/2	Bank Bills, on demand 9 1/2
ON SINGAPORE:—	Credits, 4 months' sight 1 1/2
On demand 5 1/2	ON SAIGON:—
ON JAPAN:—	On demand 2 1/2
On demand 10 1/2	ON MANILA:—
ON INDIA:—	On demand 6 1/2
Telegraphic Transfer...	ON BANGKOK:—
Bank, on demand 3 1/2	On demand 14 1/2
	SOVEREIGNS, Bank Buying
	Rate 1/2 1/16
	Bar Silver, per oz. 80 1/2

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

After showing signs of improvement, the market has suffered a slight relapse, due to the revival of the reports of a possible Canton invasion. However, prices have not given way to any extent, though buyers are adopting a cautious attitude.

H.K. Banks changed hands at \$1480. Hotels at \$580. Trams at \$1470 and Electrics at \$551. At the close, prices on the whole are a little better than those ruling just prior to the Chinese New Year holidays.

The Sterling market has been irregular with a downward tendency discernible. There has been a marked improvement in the Manila market during the week, most stocks registering gains from last week's closing. This market closes steady.

BUSINESS DONE DURING THE WEEK

H.K. Bank, \$1485, \$1480. Canton Insurance, \$280. Union Insurance, \$500, \$502, \$500.

H.K. Fires, \$240. Wharves, \$118. Docks, \$281, \$29. Providents (Old), \$21, \$2.55.

Providents (New), 45 cts, 50 cts, 55 cts.

Hotels, \$580, \$570, \$54, \$580, \$585, \$580.

Lands, \$324. Tramways, \$1480, \$1470, \$1465, \$141, \$1480, \$1470.

Star Ferries, \$86, \$87. China Lights (Old), \$11. Electrics, \$551, \$555, \$554, \$551, \$555, \$551.

Telephones (Old), \$25.50, \$26, \$26.10. Cements \$13.65, \$13.70, \$13 1/2, \$13.80.

Marmans (H.K.), 4/4, 4/8. CHANGES 3.15 p.m. (CLOSING QUOTATIONS)

SALES
H.K. Banks, \$1480. Hotels, \$580. Trams, \$1470. Electrics, \$551.

DEC-JAN. OUTPUT
Crushing No. 529. Tons Treated, 5,236 ounces. Bullion, 1,163 ounces.

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS.

Silver prices dropped 1/16 yesterday for both deliveries, the quotations being 20 1/8 for Ready and 19 13/16 for Forward. Silver prices reported the market as being steady. Speculators sold and India bought. After the official fixing Indian Bears covered at the rate. American Silver was quoted at 44 3/4 for Spot.

The London-New York cross-rate was quoted at 500.35. New York-London was quoted at 500-7/8.

MARKET

Dull.
STERLING
No business was reported. There were sellers at 1/3 Feb.-March and 1/2 31/32 April-May, buyers at 1/3 1/2 Cash-April and 1/3 May.

U.S. DOLLARS
There were sellers at 31 5/16 February and probably March, 31 1/4 April and 31 3/16 May, buyers at 31 3/8 Cash-March, 31 5/16 April and probably 31 1/4 May.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS
Sellers at 105 11/16, buyers probably at 105 13/16 for Spot.

SHANGHAI MARKET
There were sellers of Sterling at 1/2 7/32, buyers at 1/2 15/64 for Spot. U.S. Dollars, sellers at 29 21/32, buyers at 29 11/16 for Spot.

IN THE AFTERNOON
The market was quiet in the afternoon.

STERLING
The market closed with sellers at 1/3 Feb.-March and 1/2 31/32 April-May, buyers at 1/3 1/2 Cash-April and 1/3 May.

U.S. DOLLARS
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SHANGHAI DOLLARS
Sellers at 105 11/16, buyers probably at 105 13/16 for Spot.

H.K. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

BUYERS
Bank of East Asia, \$82. Providents (New), 40 cts. Antamoks, 69 cts. Consol. Mines, 195 cts.

SELLERS
Providents (Old), \$21. Hotels, \$580.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuter's Service)

QUOTATIONS

New York: February 4.

	High	Low	Last	Today's	Change
New York/London Cross-rate	8.45	8.44	8.10 11/16	8.45	3/16 up
New York/Canton—Mar.	14.45	14.33	14.51	14.37	.03 up
New York/Rubber—Mar.	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2	1/2 up
Chicago Wheat—May	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2	3/4 up
Chicago Corn—May	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2	7/8 up
Winnipeg Wheat—May	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2	unch.
Silver—Official	...	...	...	...	...

	High	Low	Close	Change
1937	194.40	113.84	113.84	4.57 off
High Dow Jones Average, Feb. 2	123.05	121.49	117.78	118.49
1940 113.84 30 Industrials	37.57	37.55	37.50	37.02
34.48 37.34 30 Rail	19.18	18.85	18.10	18.35
37.34 19.05 30 Utilities	90.83	89.70	89.70	89.00
105.69 82.74 40 Bonds	52.65	52.71	52.71	52.00
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Business Done:—1,090,000 shares.

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m.v. "LEVERKUSEN" for Shanghai, Dairen, Kobe/Osaka, 2nd Mar.
Yham, Nagoya, 2nd Mar.

HOMEWARD SAILINGS
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All Broken, chafed and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 8th Feb., at 10.00 A.M. to Noon.

All claims must be presented within FIFTEEN DAYS of the arrival of the s/s "Tijadane" here, after which date they cannot be recognised.

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No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by W.B. LOXLEY & Co. (CHINA) Ltd., Agents.

Hong Kong, 2nd Feb., 1938. [5967]

The gross value of Canadian field crops for 1937 is set at \$556,382,000 by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. This is a decrease of ten per cent from the total for 1936, but otherwise is higher than for any year since 1930. Lower production of wheat and lower prices for potatoes explained most of the drop from the preceding year.

NATIONAL MOBILISATION IN JAPAN

Government Urged To Rush Legislation

Tokyo, Feb. 4.
Full support of the National Mobilisation Bill now being discussed for presentation to the Diet was announced at a meeting of the parliamentary members of the reactionary Tohoku Party.

Anticipating the present emergency, the party, in a statement, said that members advocated "bulwarking the state by means of planned economy under which all national resources should be lined up effectively to meet the contingencies."

The statement urged the Government to present the Bill for

National Mobilisation at the present session of the Diet "paying no heed to objections raised by party circles."

This controversial Bill is expected to be presented to parliamentarians for approval some time next week. Even if approved, the Bill is not expected to be invoked during the current Chinese incident. Government leaders point out they are following a "strictly constitutional path" in seeking passage of the measure by Diet instead of imposing it by means of an emergency imperial ordinance. It is made plain that Government is determined to secure passage of the Bill, whatever the opposition.—(Reuter).

BIG JAPANESE OFFENSIVE

Hankow, Feb. 3.
After many days of intensive fighting, which culminated in intensive bombardment of Chinese positions by the Japanese on Wednesday night, the Chinese abandoned the town of Pengpu on Thursday morning and retired to the chain of lakes of the Hwai River.

The Japanese have thus reached the strongly fortified Chinese main line of defence which is supported by many natural obstacles of terrain. The fate of that section of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway line which is still in the hands of the Chinese, and of the eastern section of the Lungai railway, will thus be decided by the degree of resistance which the Chinese are able to offer on the new front.

The Chinese as well as the Japanese have reinforced their troops by several divisions. Military quarters here believe that the Japanese will, after giving their troops a brief respite, launch a violent offensive in order to force a decision and that they are prepared to suffer heavy losses in order to bring the action to a successful issue, since control of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway will greatly facilitate Japanese troop movements between Shanghai and the interior.—(Trans-Ocean)

MAROOED SCIENTISTS

Moscow, Feb. 4.
A radio message received at 2.17 p.m. from the Paplin expedition states that the party are all well, while the situation on the icefield has improved.

Six hundred workers have been assigned to the work of completing the repairs to the icebreaker Ermak at Murmansk. The men are working day and night to prepare the ship for an early start of the rescue attempt.—(Reuter).

LIBELLOUS EXHIBITS REMOVED

Paris, Feb. 3.
Following the German Ambassador's protest to the French Government on Wednesday, the Paris police, on Thursday, ordered the removal of all exhibits from the International Socialist Exhibition which were defamatory to Chancellor Hitler and other leading German political personages.

The French Government, moreover, has ordered the confiscation of a pamphlet issued by the Exhibition board which contained libellous statements about National Socialist Germany.—(Trans-Ocean)

FOREIGN VOLUNTEERS IN SPAIN

London, Feb. 3.
The Non-Intervention Committee met on Thursday afternoon in order to discuss the financial aspects of question of withdrawal of foreign volunteers from Spain. The official communiqué regarding the outcome of the deliberations has not yet been issued.—(Trans-Ocean).

56 PLANES SHOT DOWN

Salamanca, Feb. 3.
It was officially announced here on Thursday evening that 56 Republican planes were shot down by Nationalist planes or anti-aircraft guns during the month of January, and that nearly half of these were Curtiss planes.—(Trans-Ocean).

JAPANESE PRESS CENSORSHIP

Question In The Commons

Singapore, Feb. 4.
Questioned in the House of Commons by Mr. Peter Macdonald with regard to censorship, Mr. Anthony Eden in a written reply says the Japanese authorities in Shanghai were claiming to censor messages from Britain to British newspapers in Shanghai. He, however, was unaware that any such telegrams had been censored.

On the other hand, the Consul-General at Shanghai was protesting in writing to the Japanese Consul-General against unreasonable exercise of the censorship in respect of two press telegrams from Shanghai.

Mr. Eden said the question of further representation at Nanking while the Consul will be on furlough was at present being considered.—(Reuter).

BOMB THROWN INTO NEWSPAPER OFFICE

Occupants' Escape Miraculously

Shanghai, Feb. 4.
A hand grenade was thrown at the premises of the American owned Shanghai Evening Post at 5.30 a.m. by a Chinese wearing a long gown.

The missile exploded in the hallway outside the offices of Mr. H. G. W. Woodhead, an American Editor and Mr. Randall Gould of the United Press, smashing all the windows of the building and breaking part of the wall.

Mr. Woodhead and Mr. Gould were absent at the time, but the United Press offices were occupied by the night editor and two others. The only other person in the premises was a Chinese coolie who had a remarkable escape. Although the chair in which he was sleeping in the hall-way was wrecked, he escaped unscathed. The assailant escaped.—(Reuter).

ANTI-PIRACY AND ITALY

Rome, Feb. 3.
The British proposals for strengthening the anti-piracy patrol in the Mediterranean have caused no excitement in Italy, according to an authoritative statement issued on Thursday.

Republican Spain, it is contended, is solely responsible for the acts of piracy and they are also the only party that has anything to gain by such acts. The latest efforts on the part of Britain and France to bring about the humanising of the Spanish war are untimely, seeing that General Franco has instructed his air force, from the very outset, to bomb only military objectives and, where Nationalist bombs have been dropped on open towns, it has been done, says this official comment, as reprisals for actions committed by Republicans in disregard of international law.

Finally, it is most emphatically reaffirmed that reports appearing in the foreign Press about the despatch of further detachments of Italian volunteers to Spain are absolutely baseless.—(Trans-Ocean).

TRAINING CANADA'S QUINTS

TORONTO, Canada.—The famous Dionne quintuplets will be trained to withstand the public stare "like a royal family", according to Dr. A. R. Dafoe, physician to the world's most noted children.

The youngsters, said Dr. Dafoe, will be taught that they are unique and encouraged to develop normally notwithstanding the public interest they will excite so long as they live. "The only privacy they will ever get will be what they buy," he added, as he said their joint fortune now amounts to about half a million dollars.

The quintuplets, now are learning English, French is the language of their parents, the tongue they learned in their cradles, but their guardians will see to it that they are equally conversant with both before they are much older.

RETIRES IN 106th YEAR

SAINT JOHN, N.B., Canada.—The world's oldest harbourmaster at last has retired, in his 106th year. Roderick McDonald has reached his century when he was appointed harbourmaster of Richibucto, N.B., and he served actively in that capacity beyond his 105th birthday last August.

Mr. McDonald spent 60 years of his life a blacksmith and worked at that trade till he had passed 90 years. He still is well physically and mentally, plays Scottish airs on his fiddle, smokes his pipe, uses alcohol moderately, reads and plays checkers.



SAN FRANCISCO & LOS ANGELES

via Kobe and Yokohama.

S.S. PRESIDENT TAFT

Sails MONDAY, February 7th, 10 P.M.

SEATTLE

via Kobe and Yokohama.

S.S. PRESIDENT MCKINLEY

Sails MONDAY, February 14th, Midnight

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.
AND
CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

CONSIGNEES per Co's Vessel "TELESIA"
FROM UNITED KINGDOM VIA SINGAPORE.

are hereby notified that their Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will be at Consignees' risk and subject to Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from Godown on and after 30th Jan.

No Claims will not be landed here unless Notice has been given prior to Steamer's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 a.m. and Noon within the Free Storage period.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 6th Feb., will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underigned on or before the 19th Feb., or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Agents.

30th Jan., 1938.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

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CONSIGNEES per Co's Vessel "HECTOR"
FROM UNITED KINGDOM VIA SINGAPORE.

are hereby notified that their Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will be at Consignees' risk and subject to Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from Godown on and after 1st Feb.

Optional Cargo will not be landed here, unless Notice has been given prior to Vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 a.m. and Noon within the Free Storage period.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Vessel's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 7th Feb., will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Vessel must be presented to the Underigned on or before the 21st Feb., or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Agents.

1st February, 1938.

During the past half year, altogether 40 army officers, half the number of whom are divisional commanders, have been punished in accordance with military law, states the Central China Post. Eight of the 40 received death sentences, according to local information.

CONSIGNEE NOTICE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO.,
STEAMER "COMOTIN".

ARRIVED HONG KONG ON 3RD FEB., 1938.

FROM
ANTWERP, LONDON, GIBRALTAR, MALTA, PORTSAID, ADEY, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon where each Consignment will be sorted out by Mark and Delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions have been given to the contrary Six Hours before arrival of the steamer.

Goods not cleared within 8 days including date of arrival will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees, and the Company's surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, at 10 a.m. on Mondays and Thursdays, within the Free Storage period.

Consignees are specially notified that it is necessary for a Revenue Officer to be present at the examination of damaged dutiable cargo.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underigned on or before 3rd Feb., 1938, or they will not be recognised.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co., Agents.
Hong Kong, 3rd Feb., 1938 [5960]

DODWELL—CASTLE LINE

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

S.S. "PENRITH CASTLE"

FROM U.S.A. via MANILA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd. at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional cargo will not be landed here, unless notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 8th inst. at 10 a.m. by our surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

In the case of dutiable cargo, Consignees are requested to inform the Imports & Exports Office that they have such goods for examination. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL & CO., LTD. Agents.
Hong Kong, 2nd Feb., 1938. [5960]

Via Canada

SAILING TO MANILA
EMPRESS OF CANADA Feb. 12TO ANADA, UNITED
STATES AND EUROPEEMPRESS OF JAPAN Feb. 8
EMPRESS OF ASIA Feb. 23
EMPRESS OF CANADA Mar. 8Air-conditioned equipment carried on
Trans-Continental Trains. Frequent
Canadian Pacific Atlantic sailings from
Montreal and Quebec, down the smooth
St. Lawrence Seaway, to Europe.MAKE BOOKINGS FOR EARLY - in
order to ensure desirable accommodation.

Information from

Canadian Pacific

Union Bldg.
Tel. 20752.

Canadian Pacific

SAN FRANCISCO via Japan Ports and Honolulu
(Starts From Kobe)

CHICHIBU MARU	22nd Feb.
TAIYO MARU	7th Mar.
TATSUTA MARU	22nd Mar.
SEATTLE & VANCOUVER. (Starts From Kobe)	
HIKAWA MARU	5th Feb.
HIYE MARU	21st Feb.

NEW YORK via Panama.

NAGARA MARU	2nd Mar.
TAIYO MARU	27th Mar.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu,
Hilo, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

ATAGO MARU	7th Mar.
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LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, R'DAM.

FUSHIMI MARU	12th Feb.
HAKOZAKI MARU	26th Feb.
BUWA MARU	12th Mar.
TERUKUNI MARU	26th Mar.

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus,
and Marseilles.

DELACOA MARU	1st Mar.
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SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila and Ports.

KAMO MARU	28th Feb.
ATSUTA MARU	26th Mar.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

TANGO MARU	10th Feb.
NAGATO MARU	7th Mar.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.

KOTOHIRA MARU	6th Feb.
MALACCA MARU	7th Mar.

Kobe and Yokohama (Omitting Shanghai)

TERUKUNI MARU	8th Feb.
ATSUTA MARU	18th Feb.
HAKOZAKI MARU	25th Feb.
HARUNA MARU	11th Mar.
KITANO MARU	18th Mar.
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SHIPPING DIRECTORY

Anhui (Butterfield & Swire), British str., Capt. W. M. Christie, 2,880 tons, arrived here January 30 from Amoy. Cleared Feb. 4 for Shanghai.

Arabia Maru (O.S.K.), Japanese str., Capt. I. Tada, 3,880 tons, arrived on February 4 from Moji, general cargo. Cleared on the same day for Singapore.

Athel Prince (Standard Oil Co.), British str., Capt. R. McG. Spencer, 3,143 tons, arrived on Dec. 26 from Swatow. Berthing at Standard Oil Wharf.

Bombardier (W.R. Loxley & Co.), British str., Capt. McMillan, 3,143 tons, arrived on February 4 from Manila, general cargo. Lying at Kowloon Bay.

Bendawsa (W.R. Loxley & Co.), British str., Captain J. Drummond, 3,755 tons, arrived Feb. 1 from Singapore. Mooring at Naval buoy No. 2.

Blackhead (Thoresen & Co.), British steamer, Captain Reid, 2,702 tons, arrived on September 9 from Portland. Lying at North Point.

Boxhill (Dodwell & Co.), British str., Captain D. Dreyer, 3,501 tons, arrived on January 26 from Singapore. Lying at Kowloon Bay.

Chitral (P. & O. S.N. Co.), British str., Capt. W. S. Enoch, 8,772 tons, arrived Feb. 3 from Shanghai, gen. cargo. Berthing at Kowloon Wharf.

Chung King (B. & S.), British str., Captain Evans, 1,311 tons, arrived here Jan. 10 from Bangkok, general cargo. Mooring at buoy No. B3.

Comoria (P. & O. S.N. Co.), British str., cleared Feb. 4 for Shanghai.

Conte Rosso (Lloyd Triestino), Italian str., Capt. Fabris, 3,959 tons, arrived on February 1 from Shanghai, general cargo. Berthing at Kowloon Wharf.

Diomed (Butterfield & Swire), British str., Captain H. D. Blamey, 6,354 tons, arrived December 14 from Singapore. Berthing at Hoi's Wharf.

Emmy (J. J. & Co.), Greek str., Captain J. Michailidis, 2,474 tons, lying at Kowloon Dock.

Empress of Asia (C.P.S.), British steamer, Capt. G. Gould, 8,883 tons, arrived here on January 27 from Vancouver via Shanghai, general cargo. Lying at Kowloon Dock.

Empress of Japan (C.P.S.), British str., Captain L. Douglas, 15,725 tons, arrived on January 19 from Manila. She will leave here for Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu at 7 a.m. on February 8 (Tuesday).

Empress of Russia (C.P.S.), British str., T. P. Patrick, 8,799 tons, is due at Vancouver on Feb. 12 (Saturday), 2 p.m.; leaves Vancouver on Feb. 19 (Saturday), 11 a.m. and is due at Hong Kong on March 10 (Thursday).

Feng Lee (Yee Tai Hong), Chinese steamer, Captain E. Merel, 865 tons, lying at Tai Koo Dock.

Feng Lee (Yee Tai Hong), Chinese str., Captain Y. K. Hsu, 1,359 tons, lying at Kowloon Dock.

Frederick (Mellers & Co.), German str., Capt. H. Reinhardt, 1,470 tons, arrived here January 24 from Rabaul. Berthing at Kowloon Wharf.

Gertrude Maersk (Jensen), Danish str., Captain A. Jaeger, 3,155 tons, lying at Tai Koo Dock.

Glenferrie (J.J. & Co.), British str., Captain W. C. Harrison, 4,906 tons, arrived on February 2 from Singapore. Cleared Feb. 4 for Shanghai.

Granatieri Padua (Waller & Co.), Italian str., Capt. B. Carola, 2,304 tons, arrived here January 18 from Ningpo. Lying at Tsimshui.

Grevy (Dodwell & Co.), British str., Captain J. Knight, 3,621 tons, arrived February 1 from Dairen. Lying at Cosmopolitan Dock.

Hai Ching (Douglas & Co.), British str., Captain O. H. Farrar, 1,322 tons, arrived here January 30 from Swatow. Cleared Feb. 4 for Swatow.

Hai Shang (Dodwell & Co.), Chinese steamer, Captain P. Book, 2,074 tons, lying at Kowloon Dock.

Hai Tan (Douglas & Co.), British str., Capt. E. Waller, 2,225 tons, arrived here February 3 from Swatow. Cleared Feb. 4 for Swatow.

Hai Yang (Douglas & Co.), British str., Capt. W. G. Erwin, 1,431 tons, arrived here January 30 from Swatow. Berthing at Douglas Wharf.

Hai Yu (Dodwell & Co.), Chinese str., Captain V. Andersen, 1,898 tons, lying at Stonecutters.

Heng Sang (J. M. & Co.), British str., Captain T. Wilkinson, 1,356 tons, arrived on February 3 from Bangkok. Mooring at buoy No. B3.

Hector (Butterfield & Swire), British str., Capt. Dunlop, 3,841 tons, arrived Feb. 1 from Singapore, general cargo. Cleared Feb. 4 for Shanghai.

Hellas (Thoresen & Co.), Norwegian str., Capt. L. A. Nielsen, 1,114 tons, arrived on February 4 from Swatow, general cargo. Lying at buoy No. B11.

Holikon (Wo Fat Sing), British str., Captain W. Anderson, 1,220 tons, arrived here January 27 from Saigon. Mooring at buoy No. B5.

Hin Sang (J. M. & Co.), British steamer, Capt. Hopkins, 1,885 tons, arrived on January 21 from Sandakan. Mooring at buoy No. B22.

Java (East Asiatic & Co.), Danish steamer, Captain Skjold, 5,325 tons, arrived on November 13 from Kobe. Mooring at buoy No. A4.

Jersey (Dodwell & Co.), British str., Capt. W. Pridoux, 3,032 tons, arrived Feb. 2 from Balboa, cargo—fuel oil. Lying at Junk Bay.

Kashima Maru (N.Y.K.), Japanese str., Captain K. Fukuda, 6,148 tons, arrived Dec. 30 from Moji, gen. cargo. Mooring at buoy No. A7.

Kingman (Butterfield & Swire), British str., Capt. N. Harrie, 1,546 tons, arrived here January 31 from Pakhoi. Mooring at buoy No. B10.

Kweiyang (Butterfield & Swire), British str., Capt. D. Wilson, 1,580 tons, arrived here February 1 from Bangkok. Mooring at buoy No. B14.

Luchow (Butterfield & Swire), British str., Captain B. Johnson, 1,221 tons, arrived here January 23 from Chofu. Lying at Stonecutters.

Lyeemoon (Wo Fat Sing), British str., Captain W. J. Froer, 1,734 tons, arrived Feb. 2 from Saigon, gen. cargo. Mooring at buoy No. B9.

Mahayan Prince (Furness (Far East), Ltd.), British str., Capt. J. Smith, 3,650 tons, arrived January 10 from Cebu. Lying at Kowloon Dock.

Memon (Butterfield & Swire), British str., Capt. F. Adcock, 4,613 tons, arrived Jan. 25 from Kobe, gen. cargo. Mooring at buoy No. A2.

Melchius (Butterfield & Swire), British steamer, is expected to arrive in Hong Kong from Singapore at 6 a.m. on February 6.

Muinam (Butterfield & Swire), British str., Captain V. L. Reiter, 1,739 tons, arrived January 31 from Hoihow. Mooring at buoy No. B15.

Nanchang (Butterfield & Swire), British str., Captain J. Taylor, 1,480 tons, arrived Jan. 17 from Tientsin via Sitow. Mooring at buoy No. B1.

Nanning (Butterfield & Swire), British str., Capt. E. W. Richards, 1,426 tons, arrived on January 15 from Campha. Mooring at buoy No. B16.

Ninghai (Butterfield & Swire), British str., Capt. H. S., British str., Capt. 1. Newton, 1,482 tons, arrived on Feb. 3 from Canton. Lying at buoy No. B17.

Ninghai (Butterfield & Swire), British steamer, Captain I. Newton, 1,484 tons, arrived Jan. 31 from Amoy, gen. cargo. Cleared Feb. 3 for Canton.

Paula (A. P. C.), Dutch steamer, Captain A. J. Moenan, 1,319 tons, arrived here November 18 from Amoy. Lying at Lai Chi Kok.

Ping Wo (J.M. & Co.), British str., Capt. F. Webster, 1,848 tons, arrived Hong Kong January 28 from Canton. Lying at Kowloon Dock.

Pres. Taft (Dollar Line), American str., Capt. O. A. Pierson, 8,171 tons, arrived on February 4 from Seattle via Manila, general cargo. Berthing at Kowloon Wharf.

Produce (Texas & Co.), Norwegian str., Capt. E. Winnes, 743 tons, arrived on February 3 from Macao. Lying at Tsim Wan.

Prosper (Kwong Sang Loong), Norwegian str., Capt. E. Stormer, 1,377 tons, arrived on February 3 from Bangkok, general cargo. Lying at buoy No. B4.

Rhexner (Butterfield & Swire), British str., Captain B. Beer, 5,004 tons, arrived here January 17 from Manila. Berthing at Hoi's Wharf.

Roggeveen (J.C.J. Line), Dutch str., Captain D. A. Zandhuisen, 2,953 tons, arrived here February 3 from Saigon. Cleared Feb. 4 for Bangkok.

Ryuum Maru (N.Y.K.), Japanese str., Captain U. Suzuki, 4,051 tons, arrived on December 25 from Sakito. Mooring at buoy No. A3.

Sagres (Williamson & Co.), British str., Captain J. M. Morton, 1,448 tons, arrived January 28 from Port Paravai. Lying at Kowloon Bay.

Snowhow (B. & S.), British str., Capt. E. G. Thomas, 1,564 tons, arrived on February 4 from Swatow, general cargo. Lying at buoy No. B3.

Silkworth (D. K. K.), British str., Captain Jackson, 2,961 tons, arrived Hong Kong on January 23 from Sea. Mooring at buoy No. A11.

St. Woolos (Thoresen & Co.), British str., Capt. T. Griffiths, 4,345 tons, arrived on February 4 from Panama, general cargo. Lying at Kowloon Bay.

Tai Sun Hong (J.M. & Co.), British steamer, Capt. Courquax, 1,300 tons, arrived on January 31 from Sandakan. Mooring at buoy No. B22.

Tak Sang (J.M. & Co.), British str., Capt. W. A. Balch, 1,937 tons, arrived on February 3 from Tientsin. Lying at Junk Bay.

Talamba (M.M. & Co.), British str., Captain D. R. C. Sinclair, 3,844 tons, lying at Tai Koo Dock.

Tanda (E. & A. S.S. Co.), British str., left Manila for this port with the United English Mails, and is due here on February 5 at 10 a.m. Clear on February 6 for Shanghai and Japan.

Titanic (Thoresen & Co.), Norwegian str., Captain S. B. Nielsen, 4,081 tons, arrived on January 4 from Shanghai. Mooring at buoy No. A4.

Trienda (A.P.C.), British str., Capt. T. O. Thomas, 3,616 tons, arrived on February 4 from Balikpapan, fuel oil. Lying at North Point.

Tsinan (Butterfield & Swire), British str., Capt. S. M. Barling, 2,100 tons, arrived here January 24 from Swatow. Mooring at buoy No. B21.

Tyndarus (Butterfield & Swire), British steamer, is expected to arrive here from Shanghai on February 6 at daylight.

Tyndarus (Bank Line), British str., Captain J. Arthur, 3,732 tons, arrived Jan. 1 from Bunbury (West Australia). Mooring at buoy No. B25.

Vardnas (A. P. C.), Norwegian str., Captain F. Larsen, 1,869 tons, lying at North Point.

Wing Wah (Tai Fung & Co.), Portuguese str., Capt. J. Teixeira, 651 tons, arrived February 1 from K. C. Wan. Mooring at buoy No. C1.

Wing Wo (Tai Fung & Co.), Portuguese str., Capt. J. d. de Lemos, 495 tons, arrived Jan. 22 from K. C. Wan. Mooring at buoy No. B10.

Yunnan (B. & S.), British str., Capt. J. D. Whyte, 1,634 tons, arrived on February 3 from Foochow, general cargo. Lying at buoy No. B20.

Yusko Maru (M. B. K.), Japanese steamer, Capt. B. Hissami, 300 tons, arrived on December 24 from Haikou. Lying at Saiwan Bay.

IN RADIO TOUCH

The following is the list of ships expected to be in wireless communication with Hong Kong Radio:

Tanda, Santha, Pres. Doumer, Gogovale, Kalgan, Eldonpark, Pipina, Toorak, Minco Maru, Pres. Taft, Conte Rosso, Talyuan, Rio de Janeiro, Shuntien, Nagara, Hakone Maru, Empress of Russia.

JUNK WRECKAGE

The wreck of a fishing boat has been observed in the region of latitude 19.56 deg. North, and longitude 115.28 deg. East, according to a message from the Master of the s.s. Norman Monarch.

The wreck, which is 16 feet long by 10 feet broad, with a 2 feet by 3 feet scuttle hatch at one end, is considered as a danger to navigation.

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Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (About)	Destination
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PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL SAILINGS

CHITRAL	15,000	5th Feb.	Marseilles & London
CARTHAGE	11,500	19th Feb.	do
*SOMALI	7,000	26th Feb.	B'bay, Mara, Havre, London, H'burg, R'dam, A'werp & Hull
COMORIN	15,000	5th Mar.	Marseilles & London
KAISAR-I-HIND	11,000	19th Mar.	do
*BANGALORE	6,000	26th Mar.	Mara, Havre, London, H'bg, R'vam, Antwerp & Hull
NALDERA	15,000	2nd April	Marseilles & London
RANPUKA	17,000	16th April	H'burg, R'dam, A'werp & Hull
*RHUTAN	6,000	23rd April	Marseilles & London
RAWALPINDI	17,000	30th April	H'burg, R'dam, A'werp & Hull
*BEHAR	6,000	7th May	B'bay, Mara, Havre, London, H'bg, R'dam, A'werp & Hull

* Cargo only. All vessels may call at Malta.

BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS

TILAWA	10,000	14th Feb.	Singapore, Port Swettenham
SANTHA	9,000	26th Feb.	Penang, Rangoon & Calcutta
TALMA	8,000	12th Mar.	
SIRDHANA	8,000	26th Mar.	
SHIRALA	8,000	9th Apr.	

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The Canadian Australasian Line—Steamers to the United Kingdom via New Zealand, Vancouver, etc.

The P. & O. Royal Mail Steamers to London and

The New Zealand Shipping Co.'s Steamers for London via Panama Canal.

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS

TANDA	7,000	5th Mar.	Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane
NANKIN	7,000	2nd Apr.	Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart
NELLORE	7,000	20th Apr.	

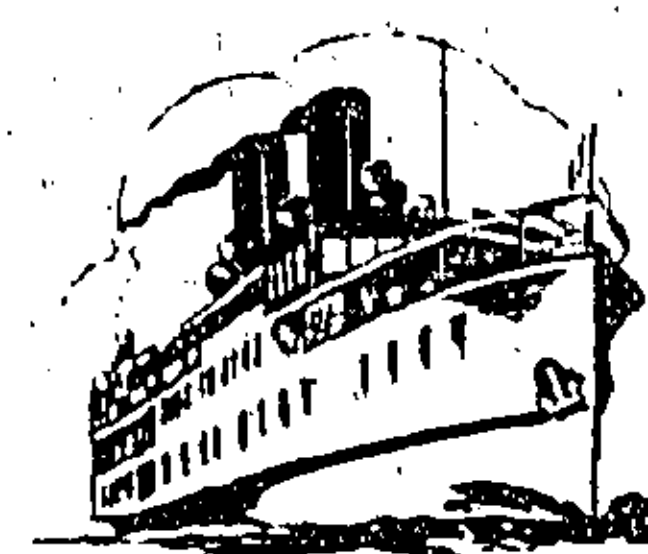
SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN

TANDA	7,000	6th Feb.	Shanghai & Japan
TALMA	10,000	17th Feb.	Amoy & Japan
KAISAR-I-HIND	11,000	18th Feb.	Shanghai & Japan
*BANGALORE	6,000	19th Feb.	Shanghai & Japan
RANPUKA	8,000	3rd Mar.	Amoy & Japan
NALDERA	15,000	14th Mar.	Shanghai & Japan
RANPUKA	17,000	16th Mar.	Shanghai & Japan
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BOXERS LOOKING FOR BOUTS

POINTERS FOR ANNUAL RACE MEETING

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Probable Derby Winner

Desert Chief, the pride of the Eu Tong Sen stable, has further enhanced his reputation by an excellent training performance during the past week. This well proportioned and strongly built chestnut stallion was whiskered as the outstanding griffin of the year but only a handful of rail fans had seen the pony in action. However, with the arrival of the stable jockey, Mr. Encarnacao, this candidate was galloped over 1-1/4 miles on Wednesday morning and covered the distance in 2:42-4/5, with the last quarter in 29-4/5 seconds. The last mile was done a shade inside 2:10 and the whole try-out was done in effortless fashion. A beautiful strider, Desert Chief seemed to be still capable of doing better and finished strongly. Undoubtedly the Eu Tong Sen interests have a serious contender for Derby honours and one that I am certain will not be far away at the finish two weeks hence.

The next best pony, in my opinion, is Silkyright, which if judged on actual training trials alone, can be placed in the same class as Desert Chief. On Sunday last Silkyright was sent over 1-1/4 miles, finishing in 2:45 seconds the last quarter and taking 2:41-2/5 for the entire distance. This performance appears outstanding as this brown stallion covered the last mile in 2:06. I understand that Mr. R. B. Moller, son of the owner Mr. Eric Moller, will be in the saddle at the Annual Meeting. Despite this impressive try-out I believe Desert Chief, the superior of the two.

Other Good Ones

Confusion Bay has proved without doubt to be the best of the Dunbar candidates. His best run to date was on Sunday, January 23, when the mile gallop was covered in 2:08-2/5, finishing gamely in 29-4/5 for the last two furlongs. This pony is a stylish looking bay built on rather fine lines. Black Bay, a stable companion, has been destroyed, while Nokomis is certainly not in the same class.

The Sassoon entries have been a trifle disappointing as Handicap Eve does not seem the least interested in the daily morning work while Harmony Eve and Half Moon Eve have not quite come up to expectations. These latter two have done several fast gallops but the finishes have not been too impressive. However, they are no means out of the running as both these ponies are highly considered and reputed smashers, and may show such a distinct improvement in the next two weeks that I may have occasion to alter my opinion. I have a great respect for this stable as they have produced champions in the past and may have yet a trump card to be played.

National Pride has been the most consistent performer and seems as if he could gallop on forever. This iron grey has been in continual training for several months and seems to thrive on hard work. Heavily built and strong, National Pride is one probable starter that would prove a likely winner if the going should be on the soft side and trying. Moonlight View is another promising griffin and will surely get a share of the spoils at the meeting.

Pinfarings Lane

Pinfarings, belonging to Mr. C. B. Brown, I considered an excellent prospect for the Maiden Stakes, as this chestnut is a veritable speed demon and would give any griffin of the year a close run over the sprint distances. Unfortunately this chestnut went lame about two weeks ago and I have no reports as to his progress. Even if started the enforced suspension of training would be detrimental to this animal's chances. Forgotten Star, Advancing Time and Just in Time have also shown distinct possibilities but the latter is quite a late arrival and may not be ready in time. Cameronian, also from the Eu Tong Sen stable is quite a handy mover but probably would perform best over sprint and middle distances.

Of the remaining ones, Viber, Jobber, Hyndford Bridge and Lancashire Lass are about the best though the latter two appear a little backward in their training. Viber is a nice galloper but rather young and green as yet.

Promoters Are Ready

WILL POLICE GIVE PERMISSION?

By "Ex-Welter"

The boxing enthusiasts of the Colony are keenly awaiting news of the next tournament. When will it be staged?

I had a talk with one or two people yesterday and they said they would be ready to promote a tournament if permission to do so can be obtained from the police. I can see no reason why this cannot be granted but that is a question for the people concerned.

Meanwhile Seaman Jack Glover, a shipmate of Seaman Bob Harvey, H.M.S. Cumberland, tells me that subject to his Commanding Officer's approval, he will take on any second class welterweight in the Colony.

FOUGHT IN SHANGHAI

Glover has done a lot of boxing and when he was last in Shanghai (late last year) he had three fights all of which he won on points.

Another welterweight on the Cumberland is Seaman Sadler and he is also doing a great deal of training.

From the Royal Scots I learn there are two men quite above the average with the gloves. They are Pte. Thompson, a lightweight who only lost on points to Sgt. McDermott, King's Regiment, the Army lightweight champion in India, and Pte. Scott, a bantamweight.

FOOTBALL COUNCIL MEETING

A meeting of the Council of the Hong Kong Football Association will be held in the Association Offices, Holland House, at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, February 7.

BADMINTON LEAGUE

Mixed Doubles Results

BIG VICTORY FOR RECREIO "A"

Three matches in the Mixed Doubles Badminton League were decided last night. Recreio "A" scored a convincing win over Tai-koo R.C., annexing all nine sets, while at King's Park, Free Lances defeated Recreio "B" by seven sets to two.

Playing at home, St. Andrew's Club beat Kowloon Tong by six sets to three.

Detailed results are as follows:—

RECREIO "A" v. TAIKOO

R. Keown and Miss Summers (Talkoo).

lost to M. A. Oliveira and Miss Silva 6-21;

lost to J. J. Remedios and Miss M. Ribeiro 6-21;

lost to L. Cavalho and Miss O. Ribeiro 10-21.

H. Smith and Miss Cunningham (Talkoo).

lost to Oliveira and Miss Silva 5-21;

lost to Remedios and Miss Ribeiro 10-21;

lost to Cavalho and Miss Ribeiro 23-24.

S. Newman and Miss Pollock (Talkoo).

lost to Oliveira and Miss Silva 10-21;

lost to Remedios and Miss Ribeiro 10-21;

lost to Cavalho and Miss Ribeiro 10-21.

ST. ANDREW'S v. KOWLOON TONG

W. C. Choy and Mrs. J. Stokes (St. Andrew's).

beat R. E. Lee and Miss M. Xavier 21-17;

beat A. W. da Roza and Mrs. A. E. H. Castro 21-11;

beat F. Tsang and Mrs. A. W. da Roza 21-18.

E. F. Fincher and Miss P. Wong (St. Andrew's).

beat Lee and Miss Xavier 21-16;

lost to da Roza and Mrs. Castro 18-21;

beat Tsang and Mrs. da Roza 21-8.

H. Kow and Miss M. Churn (St. Andrew's).

lost to Lee and Miss Xavier 6-21;

beat da Roza and Mrs. Castro 21-13;

lost to Tsang and Mrs. da Roza 18-21.

TEAMS FOR WEEK-END

CRICKET

The following are the probable cricket teams for this afternoon:—
H.K.C.C. 1st XI:—A. W. Hayward (Capt.), L. T. Ride, J. B. H. Leckie, Rev. H. W. Baines, F. Marshall, T. A. Pearce, J. L. C. Pearce, M. F. L. Haymes, H. D. Bidwell, H. Owen Hughes and M. R. Swain.

Army:—Capt. J. R. Mackintosh-Walker, Major G. P. Murray, Lieut. R. D. MacLagan (or another), Bndsmn. Cheney (Seaforths), Lieut. C. E. Godby (R.A.), Lieut. R. A. Barron (R.E.), Lieut. Whibley (Royal Scots), Lieut. L. C. Seadwell, Lieut. M. P. Weedon (or Lieut. C. M. M. Man), Pte. Hatfield and Pte. Coombes (Middlesex).

C.C.C. 1st XI:—E. Zimmermann (Capt.), P. J. Billimoria, A. R. H. Esmail, A. Gobind, A. B. Hanson, A. K. Ismail, A. T. Lee, F. K. Lee, G. Souza, J. L. Youngs and F. R. Zimmermann.

K.C.C. 1st XI:—F. Goodwin (Capt.), D. J. N. Anderson, A. T. Lay, E. C. Fincher, E. F. Fincher, S. Jex, R. E. Lee, N. D. Lloyd, T. A. G. O'Brien and F. I. Zimmermann.

Club de Recreio:—Dr. A. M. Rodrigues, W. A. Reed, E. M. L. Soares, Dr. E. L. Gosano Dr. H. L. Ozoilo, A. M. Prata, A. P. Pereira P. M. N. da Silva, jun., A. V. Gosano, J. E. Noronha, and N. Beltrao.

I.R.C. 1st XI:—A. R. Minu (Capt.), A. H. Madar, S. A. Ismail, K. Nazarin, A. B. Kitchan, A. R. Abbas, A. Baker, A. A. Rumjahn, M. el Arculli, M. Madar and A. M. Rumjahn.

Navy:—Capt. Whitmarsh, Capt. Carless, Commr. Sturgeon, Commr. Nave, Lieut-Commr. N. Weymouth, Sub-Lt. Skelton, Sub-Lt. Ogilvie, Sub-Lt. Chalcraft, Sub-Lt. Bowden Smith, P.O. Tel. Paxton, and Herbert.

C.S.C.C.—B. C. K. Hawkins (Capt.), J. E. Richardson F. Baker, D. McLellan, R. H. Griffiths, R. B. Wood, W. H. Colledge, A. E. Perry, N. J. Bebbington, F. E. Lawrence and J. Barrow.

H.K.C.C. 2nd XI:—E. J. R. Mitchell (Capt.), F. H. Stokes, G. A. Stewart, R. M. M. King, V. C. Bond, R. S. W. Paterson, C. W. E. Bishop, N. P. Fox, D. S. Robb, H. J. Armstrong and W. Stoker.

K.C.C. 2nd XI:—A. A. Dand (Capt.), K. M. Baxter, F. A. Broadbridge, R. T. Broadbridge, B. A. Gray, G. A. V. Hall, A. T. Lay, J. R. Luke, W. L. McKenzie, W. Mulcahy, C. B. R. Sargent, R. Baldwin (12). Umpire, H. Overy.

FOOTBALL

The following are the probable teams for the week-end League football matches:—

First Division

Kowloon Chinese:—Ho Po-pui; Chan Hoi-ching, Wong Yuk-tin; Wo Hok-ming, Wong Sui-wah, Tin Yung-fat; Kwok Wai-ye, Chan Wong Wing-hon, Yeung Kam-po, Tam Koon-lam.

Seaforths:—Atkinson; Waller, Campbell; Williamson, McCusker, Cook; Adams, McGuigan, Dunnachie, Fraser, Thomson.

Middlesex:—Harley; Watson, Sheehan; Freshwater, Bright, Wilkinson; Pearson, Courtney, Grogan, Saw, Britton.

Club:—Skinner (L); Hill, Nogaltzik; Fowler (E); Skinner (J); Nicholls; Fisher, Hynes, Wilson, Scott and Blackford.

Eastern:—Sammy Tsang; Lo Wai-man, Kwok Ping-ting; Ng Tak-wing, Tang Chung-wai, Lo Wai-keung; Chan Ling-to, Lee Tacky, Soong Ling-sing, Kwok Ying-ki, Hau Ching-ki Hau Ching-to.

Police:—Manning; Bone, Parker; North, Gough, Brittain; T. Pile, Morrison, Wall, Howlett, Moss.

South China "A":—Wong Wing; Mak Shu-bun, Li Ting-sang; Leung Wing-chiu, Lau Hing-chol, Lau Tin-sang; Tsang Kwong-sum, Wong Mee-shun, Fung King-cheng, Cheuk Shek-kam, Cheung Moon-wing.

St. Joseph's:—R. Marques; Souza, Bowen; C. Marques, Costa, Sprinkle; Castilho, Leonard, Delgado, Gomes, Alves.

South China "B":—Tam Kwan; Koi; Chung Chi-yn, Lau Mau; Leung Yui-chan, Lim Tak-po, Tse Kam-hing; Yeung Shui-yek, Yeuk Hon-woo, Chan, Tak-fai Lau Chung-sang, Tay Quee-lung.

Kowloon:—Rowlands; Eastman, Ulrich; Evans, Ellis, O'Connor; D. Knox, Jorge, Coakley, V. White and Honnibal.

K.F.C. 2nd XI:—Jeffries; Vale, Abbas; McKenzie, Johns, Bulph; Ablong, Drossel, Bette, Cruz, Ulrich.

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STRAITS	Mendous	8th Feb.
HAIPHONG...	Orion	7th Feb.
STRAITS	Eurybates	7th Feb.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 29th January.	Imperial Airways Plane	7th Feb.
TIENSIN	Chikiang	7th Feb.
SHANGHAI AND AMOY	Taiyuan	7th Feb.
TIENSIN	Chikiang	7th Feb.
STRAITS	Terukuni Maru	8th Feb.
STRAITS	Ormer	8th Feb.
JAPAN AND SHANGHAI	Felix Roussel	8th Feb.
JAPAN AND SHANGHAI	Antenor	8th Feb.
Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 1st February.	Pan-American Airways Plane	8th Feb.
CALCUTTA AND STRAITS	Kumsang	9th Feb.
U.S.A. CANADA, JAPAN AND MANILA (Seattle, date 15th January)	Pres. McKinley	9th Feb.
HAIPHONG AND SWATOW	Kalpan	9th Feb.
BATAVIA	Typhoon	10th Feb.
STRAITS AND MANILA	Onesimus	10th Feb.
AUSTRALIA AND MANILA	Changie	11th Feb.
CANADA, U.S.A., HONOLULU JAPAN and SHANGHAI—Vancouver B.C. 22nd Jan.	Emp. of Canada	11th Feb.
JAPAN AND SHANGHAI	Fushimi Maru	11th Feb.
MANILA	Victoria	11th Feb.
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CALCUTTA AND STRAITS	Talma	12th Feb.

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Air Mail for "K. L. M. Airways Service"—due Amsterdam, 13th February.	Chitral	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 9.30 AM Ord. 10.00 AM
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Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 14th March	Chitral	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 4th 5.00 PM Reg. 5th 9.45 AM Ord. 5th 10.30 AM
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Amoy	Lyemsoon	5.00 PM
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SUNDAY		
Swatow	Ninghai	Sunday, 6th, 9.00 AM
Shanghai	Tanda	9.00 AM
Swatow	Saitan	9.00 AM
MONDAY		
Swatow	Sochow	Monday, 7th, 8.30 AM
Pormosa	Hongkong Maru	10.30 AM
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Swatow	Kongning	Tuesday, 8th, 8.15 AM
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Amoy and Fochow	H. G.	2.30 PM
Amoy and Shanghai	Taiwan	3.30 PM
Amoy	Terukuni Maru	3.30 PM
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Service"—due Amsterdam, 20th February.	Antenor	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.00 PM Ord. 4.30 PM
Straits, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt and *EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles 10th March and London	Antenor	Parcels 3.00 PM Reg. 4.15 PM
Parcels—due London 16th March		Ord. 5.00 PM
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